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TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

HARRISBURG.

Proceedings of the Legislature—Senate Not in Session—Legislation for Millvale Borough—Bill to Regulate Dentistry in Pennsylvania—General Appropriation Bill to be Taken Up To-morrow.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, Feb. 15, 1869.

Senate not in session.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Evening.—Numerous bills were introduced, among them the following:

By Mr. HUMPHREYS, of Allegheny: Conferring the chartered rights of East Birmingham upon Millvale borough; also defining the boundaries of Millvale.

By Mr. WILSON, of Allegheny: Supplement to the act of 1861, enabling citizens to hold titles held by aliens and corporations.

By Mr. JACKSON, Armstrong: Providing for the payment of damages awarded the Armstrong Agricultural Society.

By Mr. HERR, Dauphin: Regulating the practice of dentistry in Pennsylvania, which requires a diploma from the State Board of Censors, to be appointed by State Dental Societies.

By Mr. BROWN, of Clarion: Repealing the general Jury Act of 1867.

By Mr. FOY, of Philadelphia: Supplement to general Railroad Law of 1849, allowing powers of attorney to vote at elections for managers, etc., dated within sixty days prior to such election.

By Mr. LONGENECKER, of Bedford: Incorporating the State Line, Juniata and Lake Erie Railway Company.

Mr. NICHOLSON, of Beaver, presented a petition from members of the bar of Beaver for an increase of the salary of the President Judge of the Twenty-seventh Judicial District.

Mr. WILSON, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, announced that he would call up the general appropriation bill on Wednesday.

NEW YORK CITY.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, February 15, 1868.

The steamer Ætna, from Liverpool January 31st, and Bremen and Southampton February 1st, has arrived.

The Grand Jury to-day commenced the case of Robinson, alias Maher, charged with the murder of Rogers.

The apartments of Assistant District Attorney Hutchins, at the Westminster Hotel, were robbed of jewelry valued at $3,000.

In the United States Circuit Court to-day Jacob Dupuy, convicted of whiskey frauds, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and fined $300, and his son Moses to one year's imprisonment.

The *Express* says there were seven cases and two deaths from trichinia in a German boarding house in Carlisle street, caused by eating impure pork.

A preliminary meeting of the officers of the Army and Navy, Department of the Gulf, will be held at Delmonico's, March 10th. The meeting is called for the purpose of organization and framing a Constitution and By-Laws, and determining the time and place for a grand reunion later in the year.

An immense mass meeting of citizens in favor of the freedom of Ireland and the liberation of American citizens held prisoners by England, took place this evening at the Cooper Institute. Mayor Hall presided, and made an eloquent speech, denouncing the disregard of the rights of American citizens shown by Great Britain, and claiming that to exhibit any further apathy on the subject would be disgraceful to the United States as a nation. Other speakers also addressed the meeting, and resolutions affirming the right of foreign born citizens to the protection of the flag were adopted unanimously amid much enthusiasm.

The steamer Bremen brought $20,000 specie.

Affairs in Tennessee.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NASHVILLE, February 15.—Willie Hitchcroft died to-day from the effects of a blow on the head, given a week ago by Wm. Kiser.

Silas Dunn was shot and killed at Murfreesboro, on Saturday evening, by Robert January. Dunn had previously shot at January and missed him.

A number of Indiana men, representing a capital of $235,000, now here on a visit, have determined to make their homes in the vicinity of Nashville. They have visited various counties of Middle Tennessee, and declare they have never seen more quiet or peaceably disposed people.

MEMPHIS, February 15.—An engineering party left yesterday to survey the the route of the Mississippi Railroad to Troy. Sufficient stock has already been subscribed to build the road through Shelby and Tipton counties. As soon as the engineers designate the location work will be immediately commenced.

Mrs. Mason, sister of the late Major Harney, who was killed by the Arkansas militia, arrived in this city yesterday. She will remove the remains to Alexandria, Va., for interment.

A Heavy Suit in Chancery.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, February 15.—A remarkable suit came up for trial in the Superior Court, on the Chancery side, this morning, involving city property valued at $1,500,000. The suit is brought by Henry Uhlich, eldest son of the late Carl Godfred Uhlich. The deceased had three sons. Henry disagreed with his father, and the two younger sons were of weak intellect. Old Uhlich, just before his death, confided in John H. Muhlke, and entrusted his affairs to his management. The millionaire died intestate, though he had directed that his son Henry should receive $50,000 worth of property, his second son a small monthly allowance, while the remainder should be divided between his youngest son and Muhlke. The latter thus receives about $700,000. Henry claims that his father was completely under Muhlke's influence, and appeals against such division of the property. The two younger sons and Muhlke defend the case.

THE CAPITAL.

Legal Tender Decision—The Isthmus Treaty—Investigation as to Loyalty—Removal of Remains of Conspirators.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15, 1869.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

In No. 69, Frederick Bronson, executor, etc., plaintiff in error, vs. Peter Rodes, in error to Court of Appeals of the State of New York, Chief Justice Chase delivered the opinion of the Court, to the effect that contracts for the payment of coin should be enforced by the Court according to the intent of the parties. In this case a mortgage was made to secure payment of $1,500 in the State of New York in 1851, and it was provided the money should be paid in coin, the legal money of the United States. In January, 1865, tender was made in treasury notes, which was refused, and this action was brought to enforce such payment and secure a ratification of the mortgage in pursuance thereof. The Court of New York held that the order was a discharge of the mortgage, and directed that it be cancelled. The Supreme Court now holds that there are two descriptions of lawful money in circulation, both sanctioned by law, and both a legal tender; that in view of this fact contracts for payment must be enforced, and where coin is provided to be paid judgment should be for such description of money, but where no description is named, judgment should be entered generally without specification. The judgment of the New York Court of Appeals is reversed, with costs, and the case remanded for further proceeding, in conformity to the proceedings of the Supreme Court. Justices Davis and Swayne concurred, delivering separate opinions, and Justice Miller dissented.

The Court has ordered a certified copy of the proceedings in the case of Peter Phillips to be produced as preliminary to the argument on the application to issue a writ of prohibition against Judge Underwood.

The application for a writ of *habeas corpus* in the case of Spangler and Arnold, Dry Tortugas prisoners, is to be argued.

LOYALTY OF BANKER CORCORAN.

The Senate Committee on the District of Columbia have had occasion for some days past to take testimony upon the question of the loyalty of Mr. Corcoran, during the war. On Saturday a discharged Union soldier testified that while in the employ of Mr. Stoeckl, in July, 1861, waiting at a dinner party at which were present Mr. Corcoran and Senator Bayard, the latter said he would give ten thousand dollars to any man who would put Mr. Lincoln under the ground. Mr. Corcoran said he would give one hundred thousand dollars to see it done. The witness was cross-examined, but told the same story. The committee summoned Mr. Stoeckl's steward, and questioned him. He refused to answer on the plea of his attachment to the Russian legation. Mr. Sumner insisted that he should answer, and the steward, still declining, was given until Wednesday morning at ten o'clock to make up his mind what to do. The committee unanimously assert that he must be compelled to tell what he knows about the matter. This strange revelation causes considerable excitement.

THE ISTHMUS TREATY.

The President to-day sent to the Senate the treaty recently negotiated by Gen. Cushing for the Isthmus Canal.

The treaty concedes to the United States the exclusive right to construct an inter-oceanic canal across the Isthmus of Darien, at any point which may be selected by the United States. The Colombian government cedes six miles of land on each side of the canal, one-half for its own benefit and the other for that of the party undertaking the construction of the work. The Colombian government is to receive ten per cent. of the net income for the first ten years, and after the canal is paid for twenty-five per cent. of the net profit. The treaty is to be ratified by the United States within six months, and the surveys to be made within two years after ratification. The canal to be begun within five years and finished within fifteen years after the ratification, otherwise the charter falls. The charter runs for one hundred years. The canal is to be under the control of the United States, and Congress can fix the rate of tolls. The navigation is to be open to all nations in time of peace, but closed to belligerents who may seek to avail themselves of its advantages. It is estimated the canal will cost one hundred millions. A company was not long ago organized in New York under the charter of that State, with Peter Cooper as President. It is said, on distinguished authority, this company has the capital and is ready to commence the work. Congress is, however, at liberty to give the preference to to this or any other private company, or the United States itself can undertake the construction of the canal.

REMAINS OF CONSPIRATORS.

The remains of David E. Harold, another of the assassination conspirators, were, by order of President Johnson, given up on Saturday to his mother and interred in the Congregational Cemetry. An order has been obtained for the delivery of the body of Atzerodt to his friends. Booth's remains are also to be given up, the latter for interment in Baltimore, near the grave of his mother.

DISPUTED BOUNDARY CASE.

The long disputed boundary between the government of England and Portugal is on the shores of the Gambia and the Island of the Bulma, West Africa. The President, by request of the Queen of England and King of Portugal, has accepted the office of arbitrator. The papers in the case will be submitted in the course of a month.

TIME EXPIRED.

Commissioner Rollins has written a letter calling especial attention to the fact that the extension of the time given to dealers in smoking and fine cut chewing tobacco before the same is to be packed and stamped, expires to-day.

CHEROKEE LANDS.

The Committee on Indian Affairs has reported, through Senator Doolittle, in favor of the indefinite postponement of the resolution referred to them, relative to the sale of Cherokee lands. This decision, it is said, settles the question of the sale in favor of Joseph F. Joy, of Detroit.

ARMY BUSINESS.

Much business having accumulated at the Army Headquarters, Gen. Grant has, since his return, devoted constant attention to matters requiring his personal supervision, and has seen but few visiters.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

FORTIETH CONGRESS.

[THIRD SESSION.]

SENATE: Report from Committee to Wait on the President and Vice President Elect—Bill to Pay Officers in the Southern States, Unable to Take Test Oath, Considered. HOUSE: Suffrage and Electoral Amendments to Constitution from Senate Considered, Non-concurred in, and Committee of Conference Ordered—Tax Bill Considered at the Evening Session.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15, 1868.

SENATE.

Several petitions were presented, including one from citizens of New York for the Canadian Reciprocity treaty.

Mr. CAMERON introduced a bill to authorize the extension, construction and use of a lateral branch of the Baltimore and Potomac road. Referred.

Mr. MORTON, from the Joint Select Committee, reported the fulfillment of their mission to notify the President and Vice President elect of their election, and submitted the following reply from General Grant:

"*Gentlemen:* Please notify the two Houses of Congress of my acceptance of the important trust which you have just notified me of, my election as President of the United States, and say to them I shall endeavor that they, and those who elected them, shall have no cause to regret their action.

Also, the following from Mr. Colfax:

"*Gentlemen:* Please convey to the two Houses of Congress my acceptance of the office to which I have been elected by the people of the United States, and assure them that I shall endeavor to prove worthy of this mark of confidence by fidelity to principle and duty."

Mr. CRAGIN, from the Committee on on Contingent Expenses of the Senate, reported adversely and moved the indefinite postponement of the resolution providing for the payment during the recess of messengers and clerks of Senate.

Mr. CONNESS objected to the present consideration of the motion.

Mr. HOWARD, from the Joint Committee on Ordnance, made a long report, accompanied by a bill to abolish the ordnance commission and consolidate the ordnance department with the artillery.

Mr. MORTON offered a joint resolution requiring parties desiring to be relieved of political disabilities to make application to Congress in writing over their own signatures, setting forth the grounds upon which relief is asked. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. WELCH introduced a bill to provide for the removal of the Spanish archives at St. Augustine, Florida, to United States Land Office.

On motion of Mr. SAWYER, the Senate took up the bill to authorize the payment of officers appointed in the Southern States by the Secretary of the Treasury, and who could not take the test oath.

Mr. SAWYER advocated the bill. These men had been employed and had in good faith performed the services imposed upon them by the Government, and therefore ought to be paid.

Mr. CONNESS said if it could be shown there were good and loyal men among them, he would vote to pay them; but he would oppose any proposition to pay those officers indiscriminately, because they had been appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury, not only without authority of law, but in defiance of law and Congress.

Mr. SAWYER stated the officers had been appointed before it was known in his part of country that there was any breach between the Administration and Congress, all of them before the assembling of Congress in December, 1865.

Mr. CONNESS said that during those months it was already known here that the plan was laid out for the creation of a new political party, to be composed of the rebel element of the South, and that Parsons, of Alabama, and Humphreys, of Mississippi, were then superintending the organization.

Mr. SAWYER was aware certain men in the South, who ought not to have influence with the Administration, did obtain such influence; but he did not regard that as a reason why discrimination should be made against this particular class, while there were others no more worthy or loyal who are drawing pay from the Government, because the nature of their office happens not to require they should take the test oath.

Mr. NYE said that if the officers in question were as capable as represented by the Senator from South Carolina, [Mr. Sawyer,] they knew at the time they took offices they did so in violation of the law.

Mr. SAWYER replied the test oath was not immediately or generally published in Southern States, in evidence of which he said he had never seen it before presented to him for his signature.

Mr. FESSENDEN said on a former occasion, while a member of the Committee on Finance, he had reported a bill for the relief of these officers, and he was in favor of the passage of such a bill. The appointments had been made before there was anything more than a vague fear of a difference between the President and Congress in regard to reconstruction, and had been made with the general assent of the Cabinet. The officers had performed their duties, and they ought to be paid.

Mr. HARLAN confirmed the statement that the Cabinet had concurred with the President in the view that it was the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to enforce the revenue laws in the Southern States, because it was for the interest of the country at large that the people of these States should bear their share of the public burdens, and that if the officers to be appointed could not be paid under the existing laws, Congress would not hesitate to authorize their payment.

Mr. SAWYER remarked that the Government could hardly say it was wrong to pay those officers, because they had acted without authority of law, after having confirmed their official acts and taken the benefit of them.

Mr. HOWE thought a pretty good case had been made out in favor of the Government paying rebels, when it had employed them; but did not think the claim of such officers to be paid for their labor any more equitable than the claim of loyal citizens, like Sue Murfy, to be paid for her property, taken by the Government.

Mr. HENDRICKS said that as no Senator who had individually employed a man to do a certain work, and received the benefit of his labor, could, without dishonor, upon any technical ground refuse to pay him, so the United States Government could not honorably or honestly refuse to pay officers who had been employed by it and had performed their duties.

Mr. EDMUNDS thought the most important feature in the case was the acknowledged fact that the Secretary of the Treasury, with the assent of other members of the Cabinet and President, had deliberately violated a law of Congress.

Mr. SUMNER said the act so violated by the President and his Cabinet was the first great act, the corner stone of reconstruction, and that in his judgment the President and Secretary of the Treasury ought to have been promptly impeached for such violation.

On motion of Mr. MORRILL, of Maine, the further consideration of the bill was postponed, and the Senate took up the Indian Appropriation bill, which was read.

The numerous amendments reported by the Committee were agreed to, and also an amendment, offered by Mr. Ramsey, extending the appropriation for the Indian war of 1862, in Minnesota, to the expenditures for the same purpose in 1863.

Mr. HARLAN said the Committee had other amendments before them, which they were not ready to report, and on his motion the bill was laid over until to-morrow.

Several private bills were passed.

Mr. DRAKE, from the Committee on Conference, made a report upon the bill to amend certain acts in relation to the navy, which was laid on the table and ordered printed.

At four o'clock the Senate took a recess.

Evening Session.—The bill to repeal the usury laws of the District of Columbia, placing the legal interest rate at six per cent., but allowing written contracts to be made for higher rates, was discussed and laid over.

A message was received from the House asking a Committee of Conference on the Constitutional amendment.

Mr. HARLAN objected to the District of Columbia business being interrupted, and it was postponed until to-morrow.

The bill to regulate judicial proceedings concerning divorces in the District of Columbia was passed.

Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Several bills were introduced and referred, including one that women employed in government departments be paid the same as men.

Also, one that the Secretary of the Treasury sell thirty millions of surplus coin.

Also, one proposing an amendment to the Constitution concerning electoral votes.

Also, one proposing that no subsidies be granted to railroads, or other corporations, so long as the national debt exceeds five hundred millions.

Also, one preventing restrictions on trade by the laws of any State, between citizens of the different States.

Also, a supplement to the National Banking Act.

Mr. HUNTER introduced a joint resolution, giving the consent of Congress to the Northern Pacific Railroad Company to issue bonds, and to secure the same by mortgage on its railroad and telegraph line, for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct a line between Lake Superior and Puget Sound, and also on it a branch to a point at or near Portland, Oregon, Puget Sound to apply to all matters connected with the Straits of Jean De Feeca within the territory of the United States.

The House seconded the previous question, and under its operation the joint resolution was read three times and passed, a call for yeas and nays being refused.

The joint resolution, introduced last Monday by Mr. Julian, to prevent the further sale of public lands except as provided for in the pre-emption and homestead laws, came up, the question being on seconding the previous question. It was not seconded, and the resolution was referred to the Committee on Public Lands—yeas 103, nays 70.

The resolution to pay $2,509 to John D. Young, for his expenses in prosecuting his claim to a seat as Representative of the Ninth Congressional District of Kentucky, was introduced.

Mr. BANKS moved to suspend the rules so as to set apart all the evening sessions after to-morrow for business from the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. FARNSWORTH inquired of Mr. Schenck whether he expected to get the tax bill through both Houses this session?

Mr. SCHENCK thought there would be no difficulty in answering that question in the affirmative, if the gentlemen would only attend the sessions at night. He added he had assurances from more than one Senator that they had been watching the progress of the tax bill with interest, and did not apprehend that many amendments would be offered in the Senate.

Mr. FARNSWORTH said there seemed to be a general impression the bill would not pass, and that members had stayed away on that account.

Mr. SPALDING'S motion was agreed to.

Mr. BUTLER, of Mass., moved to suspend the rules so as to rescind, after to-morrow, the evening order, setting apart the evening sessions for the tax bill.

The rules were not suspended, the vote being 66 to 48, not a two-thirds majority.

Mr. BROOKS, rising to a question of privilege, moved the discharge, without costs, of Florence Scannel, of New York, the witness arrested some time ago for refusing to testify before the Committee on New York Election Frauds.

After some discussion it was tabled—103 to 38.

Mr. BOUTWELL moved to suspend the rules, so as to take from the Speaker's table the Senate amendments to the Constitution.

The rules were suspended and the Senate amendments taken from the Speaker's table.

Mr. BOUTWELL said—Here is a proposition with reference to the Electors, which has not been considered in the House, and the proposition concerning suffrage has been materially changed. I have considered whether it was practicable to concur in the amendment, but I have come to the conclusion that that, as a matter of business, is impracticable. I see no way in the present condition of things except to non-concur in the action of the Senate and to ask for a Committee of Conference, and I make that motion.

Mr. BINGHAM moved to concur, and said that the adoption of the Senate's amendment as to the apportionment of the Electors among the States would leave the matter as it always had been under the Constitution, that is, according to the number of Senators and Representatives to which each State is entitled. The only difference was that under the proposed amendment of the Senate each district would vote for one Elector, instead of having all the electors for the State chosen on the general ticket.

Mr. BOUTWELL objected to the Senate amendment in regard to suffrage, because it did not prohibit discrimination on account of previous condition of slavery, and to the amendment in regard to Presidential Electors, because the language of the amendment would leave the power in Congress to order an election in some States by districts, where that might be advantageous to the majority in Congress, and by a general ticket in other States, where the advantage might be in that way.

Mr. BINGHAM replied to the objections of Mr. Boutwell, contending that they were without force. If these amendments were concurred in, it would be henceforth out of the power of any State to discriminate against any class of natural-born citizens on account of previous condition of slavery.

Mr. WOODWARD desired to submit an amendment, providing that the proposed amendments to the Constitution should be submitted to the Legislatures of the several States to be elected subsequent to the action of Congress on the subject. He claimed that was the only way in which the question could be fairly brought before the people.

The SPEAKER ruled that both Houses had agreed upon that part of the joint resolution, and that therefore no amendment could be offered to it.

Mr. LAWRENCE, of Ohio, was opposed to concurring in the Senate amendment in regard to Presidential electors. He believed the whole plan of attempting the imposition of limitation on the States was wrong, and that there was no correct mode except for the National Government to take under its fostering care and protection the whole subject of citizenship and suffrage, and to declare by positive enactment that it shall be the right of every sane adult male citizen of the Republic, not guilty of infamous crime, forever to enjoy the franchise and the right to vote by ballot for every officer to be elected under the State or National Government.

Mr. SCHOFIELD called for a separate vote on the Senate amendment.

The vote was first taken on concurring to the Senate amendment to the substitute for the House article in relation to suffrage, as follows: "No discrimination shall be made in any State, among the citizens of the United States, in the exercise of the elective franchise, or in the right to hold office, in any State, on account of race, color, nativity, property, education or creed."

Yeas, 37; nays, 132.

The amendments were non-concurred in, and a Committee of Conference ordered.

Mr. WILSON, of Iowa, (the Speaker having left the Chair, and Mr. Dawes taken it as Speaker *pro tem.*,) reported, on behalf of the Committee appointed by the two Houses to wait on the President and Vice President elect, that the Committee had discharged that duty and had received responses.

[See Senate proceedings.]

The report was ordered to be entered on the Journal.

Mr. PAINE, from Reconstruction Committee reported a bill for the relief of a large number of persons from legal and political disabilities.

Mr. BUTLER moved to strika out the name of Jno. W. Wright, of Richmond, Virginia.

Mr. McKEE moved to strike out the names of all persons named in the bill from Kentucky.

Without disposing of the bill or pending amendments, the House took a recess, the evening session to be for the consideration of the tax bill.

Messrs. Boutwell, Shellabarger and Eldridge were appointed by the Speaker as a Committee of Conference on the proposed Constitutional amendment.

Evening Session.—The House, in Committee of the Whole, Mr. Schofield in the chair, resumed the consideration of the Internal Revenue bill.

Mr. KELLY renewed the amendment he had offered last Friday evening to the fifty-sixth section, extending the time for the withdrawal of spirits from bonded warehouses from the 20th of April, 1869, to the 20th of April, 1870. The question was discussed by Messrs. Kelly, O'Neill, Beck, Barnes, Myers, Covode, Mungen, Randall and Wood in support of the amendment, and by Messrs. Allison and Schenck against it. Finally Mr. Kelly's amendment was agreed to—yeas 59, nays 56.

Mr. ALLISON moved to amend the same section by requiring whisky kept in bond, after the 20th of April, 1869, to pay one cent monthly per gallon.

After considerable discussion the amendment was agreed to.

Mr. SCHENCK said the Committee of Ways and Means had no further amendments to offer on the subject of distilled spirits.

Amendments were offered by various gentlemen and rejected.

This concluded the amendment of the whiskey part of the bill.

On an amendment offered by Mr. Schenck, relative to revenue stamps for tobacco, no quorum voted.

The Committee rose and the House adjourned.

The Insurrection in Cuba.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, February 15.—The city of Trinidad, in the Central Department, has been declared in a state of siege. An engagement has taken place at Mancargua between the troops and revolutionists. Official accounts claim a victory for the Government. No report of losses on either side.

—A bill was introduced in the New York Senate yesterday, providing for the more effectual suppression and punishment of bribery. The Assembly has granted the use of its Chamber to the National Typographical Union for its annual session, commencing on the first Monday in June.

NEWS BY CABLE.

Greece Ceases Warlike Preparation—Desperate Conflict Between British Sailors and Chinese—Foreign Ministers in Japan Received—Continued Arrests of Carlists in Spain—New Turkish Ministry.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHINA AND JAPAN.

LONDON, February 15.—Late dispatches from China report a collision took place at Swatou, between Chinese inhabitants and the crew of the British gunboat Grasshopper. The sailors fought desperately, but were overwhelmed by the natives, whose numbers constantly increased, and were compelled to retire to their ship with eleven of their number wounded.

News is received from Japan *via* Shanghai that the Mikado had received the ministers of foreign powers at Yeddo with great ceremony and showed an an earnest desire to maintain peaceful relations.

SPAIN.

MADRID, February 15.—Arrests of Carlists continue in this city and different parts of the country. Regiments of the regular service and large numbers of volunteers daily offer their services to the Government for the suppression of the revolt in Cuba.

MADRID, February 15.—Senor Olosaga has resigned his appointment as Ambassador to France, and also his seat in the Constituent Cortes.

Ex-King Ferdinand, father of the reigning King of Portugal, has accepted the offer of the throne of Spain.

TURKEY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, February 15.—The Sultan has appointed Ali Pacha Grand Vizier and Minister of Foreign Affairs, Reschid Pacha Minister of Interior, Mehadt Pacha Governor of Bagdad, and Omar Pacha Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Candia.

SOUTH AMERICA.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Later detailed advices from Rio Janeiro fully confirm the previous reports of the evacuation of Asuncion by the Paraguayan government and army and the flight of Lopez into the forest.

GREECE.

ATHENS, February 15.—The new Ministry have issued instructions to military and naval officers countermanding recent orders for warlike preparations.

ARRIVED OUT.

QUEENSTOWN, February 15.—The steamers Palmyra and Manhattan from New York arrived.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, February 15.—*Evening*—Consols 93¼; 5-20's 78½; Eries 25; Illinois 97¼; Atlantic and Great Western 37¼.

LIVERPOOL, February 15.—Cotton dull, middling uplands, 12¼; Orleans, 12¼; sales of 8,000 bales. California white wheat 11s. 3d., red western 9s. 8d.@9s. 10d. Western Flour 26s. Corn 33s. for old 31s. 3d. for new. Oats 3s. 6d. Barley 5s. 6d. Peas 43s@43s. 6d. Pork 97s. Beef 95s. Lard 77s. Cheese 76s. Bacon 59s. Spirits Petroleum 8d., refined do. 1s. 11d. Tallow 46s. Turpentine 32s. Linseed Oil, 30 pounds 10s.

LONDON, February 15.—Tallow 45s. 9d. @46s, Sugar active, spot 39s. 3d., afloat 28s. 9d.@29s. Linseed Oil £28. Linseed cakes £12 15s.

ANTWERP, February 15.—Petroleum 59½a59.

HAVRE, February 15.—Cotton market closed flat, low middlings to arrive at 141 francs.

Georgia Legislature—Veto by Governor Bullock.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ATLANTA, February 15.—The joint resolution of the Legislature, referring the question of the eligibility of negroes to hold office to the Supreme Court of the State, was to-day vetoed by Governor Bullock. He says the resolution does not settle or even touch two of the leading points, viz: the organization of the Legislature under the law, and its subsequent action in excluding a large portion of its members on account of color, and that the resolution does not bind the Legislature to abide by the decision of the Supreme Court, or indicate a disposition to do so. He recommends the Legislature "to take steps towards the consummation of the policy of Congress, from whom we derive all we have and expect to enjoy of civil government. Undo what has been done, restore colored members to their seats, and exclude every person who cannot take the test oath."

NEW YORK CHARITIES.—The Commissioners of Public Charities and Corrections of New York city report that they have had 92,272 persons under their charge during 1868. There are nineteen institutions under the supervision of the Commissioners. Of the number of persons above mentioned the city prisons contained 46,807; the Workhouse 16,946; Bellevue Hospital 7,086; Charity Hospital 6,166; the Almshouses 4,135; Randall's Island Nurseries 2,122; the Penitentiary 2,129; the Infant Hospital 1,887; the Lunatic Asylum 1,580; Randall's Island Hospitals 850; Inebriate Asylum 663; the Small-pox Hospital 213, and the remaining seven institutions each contained under 200 inmates.

IF a young woman wishes to have herself published as "fascinating, beautiful and accomplished," let her pack up her best clothes in a dirty towel, crawl out of the back up-stairs window some dark, rainy night, and elope with the man that feeds and curries her father's horses. It's a big price to pay for compliments, but it will bring them just as certain as a dirty barrel will beget mosquitos. In fact, we never knew a woman to make a very decided fool of herself, in any way, without enhancing her charms two or three hundred per cent. by the time it got into the papers.

AN oak tree was recently cut in Canada, N. H., which was four feet in diameter and yielded four tons of ship timber. It had a hollow in which eighty pounds of honey was found.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

STATE NEWS.

HOLLIDAYSBURG complains of the itch

CLARA LOUISE KELLOGG will sing in Erie on the 22d inst.

THE citizens of Tionesta are trying to get up a public library.

THE Philadelphia *Press* calls Broad street "our Boulevard."

$300,000 worth of buildings were put up in Sharon during 1868.

$500,000 worth of tobacco was raised in Lancaster county last year.

RELIGIOUS revivals are actively going on in several of the churches in Millersburg.

PEOPLE are knocked down and robbed when passing Washington square, in Philadelphia.

THE Huntingdon gaol was on fire Saturday week, but the damage done was unimportant.

WM. ALBERT, a soldier of the war of 1812, was frozen to death in Greenfield township, Blair county, recently.

THE new Congregational church in Johnstown was dedicated with appropriate services a week ago last Sunday.

MRS. ALFRED HALL, near Lewiston, gave birth to five children lately, all boys—now dead. Mother doing well.

THE *Columbia Spy* wants a new county formed out of parts of Lancaster and York, with Columbia as the county seat.

ERIE city thinks of disposing of her water lots free of charge to any persons who will engage to erect manufactories upon them.

SMITHFIELD, near Uniontown, has a Methodist revival. Eighty new members have been added to the church and the end is not yet.

DR. JENNINGS, a physician of Titusville, died on Wednesday from the effects of a dose of poison administered in mistake by himself.

THE winter has been so warm and the streets so dirty in Philadelphia that much sickness and even cholera are anticipated for the coming summer.

THE Pittston *Gazette* says: John Barrett, aged 18, engaged in driving, fell into Eagle Shaft, a distance of 200 feet, and was instantly killed. He was subject to fits.

THE Philadelphia and Erie Railroad have eighty men employed in drilling, blasting and generally improving the Erie harbor in the neighborhood of their docks.

A CHILD, aged four years, near Freeburg, Snyder county, was burned so badly, on the 26th ult., by her clothes accidentally taking fire, that she died in about three hours.

AN organization called the Northumberland Boom Company, has been formed. The intention is to petition for privilege to place a boom in the river near Northumberland.

ANDREW BAKER, a victim of unrequited affection, killed himself in Erie the other day and was buried on Friday. The young lady who was the indirect cause of his death attended his funeral.

ON Sunday, the 31st of January, Mr. John Corley, while ascending a steep hill in Bedford county, slipped and fell, and in rolling and sliding together, bruised himself so badly that he died in a few days.

AN unusual amount of sickness prevails in Berks and Montgomery counties, the prevailing diseases are diptheria, pneumonia and typhoid and remittant fevers, and quite a number of deaths have been the result.

A WEEK ago Sunday a man named Sheet, at Columbia, made one of the largest hauls of fish on record. He set his net on Saturday afternoon and on Sunday afternoon pulled up twenty-seven hundred suckers and mullets.

IN Clarion a prudent little boy named Charley Loomis filled his pocket with loose powder and sulphur matches. After a few hours of harmony an explosion took place and Charley was badly burned but luckily escaped with his life.

A RESPECTABLE young woman has mysteriously disappeared from Espyville, Crawford county, several strange and peculiar circumstances attending her disappearance lead her friends to fear that she has been the victim of foul play.

SOME fifty or sixty men, employed as day laborers on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, residing in Easton and immediate vicinity, have been discharged within the past few weeks on account of having no work for them to do.—[*Hazleton Sentinel.*

THREE unsuccessful attempts to assassinate a young man named Samuel Temple have been made at Yardleyville, Bucks county. The last time, about a week ago, he was shot at and the ball passed through his coat. No cause or perpetrator can be discovered.

S. C. STANFORD, a leading resident of Waterford, Erie county, was run over at Corry by a switch engine, and completely cut in two and instantly killed. The Erie *Gazette* says "by this sad accident Erie county loses one of her most useful and respected citizens."

THE *Montour American* says: A dog belonging to Mr. Joel Heckard, below Chulasky, was accidentally covered up under a stack of straw, where he remained for twenty-one days without food or drink. When discovered he was hardly able to stand, but has completely recovered.

THE new Court House at Lock Haven was dedicated on Monday. One of the incidents was the marching into the court room, two by two, of one hundred and fifty ladies, who presented a remonstrance signed by fifteen hundred women of Clinton county against granting any licenses for the sale of intoxicating drinks.

THOMAS DUTTON, of Aston, Delaware county, celebrated his one hundredth birth day anniversary on the 9th inst. He is said to be the only person now living who heard the firing of the cannon in Philadelphia on the 4th of July, 1776. He voted for Washington, and has voted at every Presidential election since.

THE Berks and Schuylkill journal says: Mr. John Mellert, a respected citizen of Reading, about seventy years of age, committed suicide at his residence, last Monday morning, by discharging two pistol shots into his breast. A Coroner's jury was summoned, who rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts.

MRS. EVE NEY, a widow living in Shartlesville, Berks county, was found under a tree two hundred yards from her home frozen to death, a few days ago. The widow was ninety-three years old and subject to temporary attacks of insanity, during one of which she is supposed to have wandered out to her death.

AN accident of a distressing and painful character befel a daughter of Dr. D. A. Arter, of Greensburg, one day last week. She was in the yard cutting and splitting wood for kindling, when one of the sticks flew from the ax and struck her in the eye with such force that the ball was bursted and the sight entirely destroyed.

EASTON BECAME benevolently excited over the sufferings of the Swiss people some time ago, and it was thought proper to take up a subscription for their relief. The proposition was acted upon and resulted in the sum of two dollars and a half. Easton is a good place to get relief, as they have not sent much away to Switzerland.

SOME time ago David Jones and his son Isaac set fire to Samuel Elder's barn in Monroe township, Clarion county. Last week they were tried and convicted of the crime and are now serving out their sentences in the Western Penitentiary. David has four years and three months, and his son, a youth of seventeen, has one year and three months.

FROM the Doylestown *Democrat* we lean that the Black lead mine, in Southampton township, near the Buck tavern, is being re-opened, preparatory to working it, by John W. Welch & Co., of Philadelphia. A shaft is being sunk on the old shaft. They had already sunk it about twenty feet, and on Tuesday night, the 29th ult., the earth caved in and filled it up.

SEVERAL attempts have recently been made to set fire to the Home for friendless children in Lancaster. The perpetrator could not be discovered. Suspicion at length fell on Ellen Doyle, an inmate aged fourteen, and after repeated denials she has at length confessed that she had been the would-be incendiary each time. She was unable to give any reasons for her attempts, and is now in gaol awaiting trial.

THE other day two Chicago rogues got hold of a man named N. D. Eastman, from Cambria county, it is said, and after showing him 'round town, took him to the tunnel and borrowed $420 from him there on the usual plea of immediate necessity, giving him as security a thousand dollar check on the bank of New Orleans. The police succeeded in capturing one of the rogues, but the money, we believe, has not appeared as yet.

THE Montrose *Republican* has the following

NOTICE.—I was "burned out" about twelve years ago, and my neighbors and friends raised a subscription for my benefit, for which I was and am very thankful. Having since been prosperous, I have repaid all those whom I could readily find; but there are some on the list not yet repaid, and this notice is to request all such to let me know their present address, by letters or otherwise.

JOHN JOHNSON.

Lathrop, Jan. 30, 1869.

THE Berks and Schuylkill *Journal* says a German, named John Loser, employed at Lauer's brewery, on North Third street, while adjusting a belt over a vat of boiling water, fell into the same, on Wednesday afternoon, and was so severely scalded that he died on the following day. The fall was occasioned by the breaking of a board whereon he was standing. The unfortunate man fell into the boiling water up to his armpits, when his cries brought assistance which was speedily rendered, but not before he had been terribly scalded.

FROM the Wilkesbarre *Record of the Times* we glean the three following:

By the caving in of an old working at Sharp Mountain Colliery, in Schuylkill coal field, recently, a stable was let down sixty feet, by which three mules were killed. The horse was uninjured.

Mr. Harrison Trieby swallowed a dental plate in his sleep, from the effects of which he died.

Mrs. Kolb was burned to death at Beard's Hotel, Tamaqua, her clothes catching fire as she sat in her chair.

THE Ballentine torpedo was exploded in the John Miller well, Enterprise, on Wednesday last, with the most gratifying success. The hole had been abandoned as a dry one, but is now producing thirty-five barrels per day. The charge in the torpedo was six pounds of nitro-glycerine and the operation was conducted under the direction of Mr. George West. The same torpedo with a nine pound charge was exploded in the Harmonial well, Pleasantville, on the same day, bringing the production from five barrels up to a hundred barrels a day, under the direction of Wm. Hamlet.—[*Titusville Herald.*

A Lost Art Restored.

Several scientific gentlemen were present recently at a very interesting exhibition of a newly discovered process of coloring all mineral substances through the entire mass. Heretofore the art had been confined simply to surface tints, which, in course of time, wore off, but by the present system, any white, or neutral colored, or veined marble can be made to receive any known color. The machinery is exceedingly simple, and the process inexpensive. Houses, churches, and capitols may thus be entirely finished—floors, walls and ceilings—with marble of the most exquisite colors, at no greater expense than is now incurred in fine woods, hard finishing, costly wall paper, fresco, and gilding; and such work once done, it is claimed, will remain beautiful and perfect for generations. Marble thus dyed becomes susceptible of the highest polish, while the coloring matter absorbed in the operation closes the interstices of the stone, and enable it more effectually to resist the disintegrating action of the elements. Mr. Wendell Phillips, whose elegant treatise on the "Lost Arts" has been so long admired, will have to revise his manuscript in the face of such a discovery as this.

A MAN in Pontiac, Michigan, has published the following advertisement for an orthographical tournament:

HOLLY, Dec. 30, 1868.

MR. EDITOR: I propose to spel with enny man, woman, or boy in Okeland County for $100 dollars aside, the words to be collected by a commity of literary gents, and the prise to be rewarded by the empires to the one who misses the fewest words. If you here of enny one who darrs to take up this challenge, let them pitch in, solus bolus. I'm redy.

Yours, etc., etc.,

ABSOLEM SHEAPE,
District School Teacher.

THE report of the Ohio Commissioner of Railroads, just published, shows that of nine millions of passengers who traveled on Ohio railroads last year, only nine were killed—one out of a million!

OHIO NEWS.

MANSFIELD is to have a regular police force.

MAPLE SUGAR making has already begun in some parts of the State.

CARRIAGE SHOPS in Ravenna and Fremont are busy making velocipedes.

THE Eagle Woolen Mills of Canton have been incorporated, with a capital of $50,000.

OHIO has 33 daily, 320 weekly, 5 semi-weekly and 24 monthly newspapers and magazines.

A VELOCIPEDE race is one of the novelties down on the bills for the next Stark County Agricultural Fair.

A LUTHERAN revival is going on in Petersburgh, Ashland county, and sixty converts have thus far been the result.

THE "Drummer Boy of Shiloh" has been enthusiastically received at Springfield, Ohio. Extra trains from Xenia, New Carlisle, Urbanna, etc., brought crowds to see it, and it had a lengthy run.

THE Canfield *Herald* says:

On Wednesday night last, Mr. Silas Burnett, a farmer residing near Warren, lost about twenty-five head of sheep that were killed or mangled by dogs from this place.

BILLY PIERCE, eleven years old, living in Cleveland, fell from the roof of his mother's house, in Cleveland, last week, and was killed. He fled thither to escape a whipping which his mother was threatening.

A RELIGIOUS revival is going on in the Methodist Church at Mechanicsburg. Fifty-two persons have joined the church, and the pastor declares that the number must be raised to one hundred before the revival ceases.

CARR, the murderer of Miss Fox, in Belmont county, Ohio, is recovering from his self-inflicted wounds, and spends most of his waking hours in reading the Bible. There is now good reason to hope that he will be fully prepared for his latter end—of a rope.

GENERAL SAMSON MASON, an old and respected member of the bar, was buried at Springfield, Ohio, on Wednesday. He was among the oldest members of the legal profession in Ohio, and, in former years, he figured largely in our State and National politics.

THE hardware store of Wm. Byrd & Son, of Mansfield, was entered on the night of the 6th instant, by burglars, who gained an entrance by boring through a panel of the rear door and removing a bar which secured the door. Between five and six hundred dollars worth of stock was taken, including revolvers, cutlery, &c. No clue to the robbers.

A MOST horrid and sickening murder took place recently on the road near Louisville, Belmont county. A young girl by the name of Louisa Tox was met on the road near her father's house, and murdered by a former lover named Thos. Carr. After the deed, Carr went in quest of a gun, and returned to the spot of the murder, and shot himself and then cut his throat. He did not succeed in killing himself, though he cannot live. The body of the girl was horribly mangled.

THE St. Clairsville *Gazette* of this week says: The Sheriff on Monday morning last pulled Carr's (the murderer) bed from the wall, and found that he had been operating with an iron spoon which had been left in his room, out of which to take his medicine. He had gouged the mortar from around a large stone in the wall until you could see daylight. He had carefully mixed the mortar in the ashes of the fire-place. He has since been transferred to another cell, and no doubt if he shows any further signs of escape he will be ironed.

THE Portage *Democrat* says:

Two turkeys went to roost on the lower rail of a fence in the town of Aurelius, Cayuga county, N. Y., on the evening of December 8th. During the night they were covered with about six feet of snow, and presumed, of course, to be lost. Singular to relate, however, the late thaw unsnowed them, and they came out on the 8th of January alive and hungry, having been buried just one month. They managed to save themselves through the holidays, and if they live, ought to perpetrate the same joke a year from now.

A MAN living near New Castine, Darke county, butchered a couple of hogs a few days since, with the aid of a colored man in the neighborhood, and left them out over night, as had been his custom, to cool. In the morning one of them was missing. Suspecting his sable help, he procured a constable and started for his abode. In passing through the woods they came to a fence, when a strange sight met their gaze. On one side of the fence hung the hog, on the other the negro, his head being caught in the gambrel fastened to the hind end of the hog, his neck broken, and of course dead. It was a quick and strange retribution for his crime.

THEY have an extraordinary association of ladies in Clyde, Ohio, called a "Knitting Machine," which, without warning, marches into a drinking or billiard saloon, takes possession of the seats, and quietly settles down to knitting. Last Saturday night the ladies met at Walbridge's billiard room, and at once commenced knitting. The usual business of the place was of course stopped, until the men present went to smoking furiously, when the ladies were obliged, after a time, to leave. Granger's saloon was also visited; but here, when the men proposed to smoke, the proprietor refused to furnish the materials, saying the women were welcome to the use of the saloon if they wanted it. The feminine proposition is "to knit all the liquor sellers out of town."

A FEW days since a man named Henry Reigert, in the employ of a baker in Bellefontaine, went to Cleveland and purchased for his employer a cracker machine from John Lyding, the price being $200. He then went back to Bellefontaine with the understanding that the money was to be sent in payment. A draft for the amount, drawn in favor of Adam May, of Cleveland, was enclosed in a letter, which was given to Reigert to take to the Postoffice. Aware of its contents, he slyly opened the letter and abstracted the draft, before mailing it. He came immediately to Cleveland and presented the draft at Henry Wick & Co.'s bank, but was informed that he must be identified before he could draw the money. He went to Mr. Lyding, who did not know his name, told him that he was Adam May, and Lyding, supposing that it was all right, accompanied him to the bank. Reigert got the money, and then, without making any fuss, quietly disappeared. A reward of fifty dollars is offered for his arrest.

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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 15, 1869.

The general markets continue quiet, and rather dull though there is, nevertheless, a fair volume of business in the aggregate. We can report a steady demand for most of the leading commodities, but as there is an almost entire absence of a speculative feeling, we have but few round lot operations to report. Provisions have eased up a little in the western markets, but, as yet, it has made no impression here. Grain and Flour dull and unchanged and the same is true of many other articles, less prominent.

APPLES—Dull but unchanged; regular sales in store at $3 to $5 per bbl as to quality.

APPLE BUTTER—75 to 85c.

BUTTER—There is no improvement to note in the demand, and no change in prices; sales of prime to choice Roll at 35 to 38.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Dull at 3¾.

BEANS—$3,25 to $3,50 per bushel.

CHEESE—Is firm, and the market is almost bare. Goshen may be quoted at 21 to 22 for Ohio, and 23 to 24 for Ner York. Western Reserve and Hamburg 19 to 20c.

CARBON OIL—Is firm, and in limited supply; may be quoted firm at 34 to 34½, for standard white.

CORNMEAL—$1 to $1,10 per bushel.

CRANBERRIES—Sales at $18 to $20.

DRIED FRUIT—Sales of Peaches at 14 to 15 for quarters, and 18 to 20 for halves, as to quality. Apples 11 to 12.

EGGS—Fresh packed, dull at 20c.

HAY—Baled continues dull and neglected but unchanged; we continue to quote on wharf at $20 to $25, for common to strictly prime timothy.

HOMINY—Sales at $6,25 to $6,50.

HEMP—Sales at $210 per ton.

PROVISIONS—The Provision market was easier in the West on Saturday, but as yet there is no change here: Bacon Shoulders at 15½c to 16c; Ribbed Sides, 17½ to 18c; Clear do 19; Sugar Cured Hams, 20 to 20½. Lard 21 to 21½ in tierces, and 22 to 22½ in kegs. Mess Pork $34,50 to 35.

SEEDS—Cloverseed is steady at $10,00 to $10,50, as to quality. Timothy is unchanged at $3,50, and Flaxseed at $2,40.

SALT—Is quiet but steady, and is still quoted at $2 by the car load.

SORGHUM—60 to 65c.

GRAIN—There seems to be little or no demand whatever for Wheat at market price, $1,60 for prime Winter. Oats firm but quiet; sales at 65 to 66 on track and in elevator, and 67 to 68 in store. Corn is steadier but unchanged, 75 to 80, for mixed to prime Yellow; receipts falling off and supply comparatively light. Rye is in steady demand at $1,45 to $1,47. Barley is firm but unchanged at $2 to $2,10.

POTATOES—Dull but unchanged; sales in store at 80 to 85.

PEANUTS—Sales 9 to 9½c per lb.

TALLOW—Rendered, 12c.

LARD OIL—Is firm, and may be quoted strong at $1,40 for No. 2, and $1,75 for No. 1.

ONIONS—$5 to $6 per bbl.

FEATHERS—Live Geese Feathers quoted at 75 to 80, to the trade, and the usual advance in a retail way.

FLOUR—There is only a moderate local demand, and the market is dull but unchanged. Spring Wheat brands may be quoted $7 to $7,50, and Winter Wheat, $8,50 to $9,00 per barrel. Rye Flour, $7,50. The Pearl Mill quote their best brands, made of the best Wheat, as follows: Extra Family Flour, in barrels, at $9,30, and, in sacks, $9,00 per barrel; Double Extra Family, in barrels, $10,00, and, in sacks, $9,70 per barrel; Spring Wheat Flour, in barrels, $7,80, and, in sacks, $7,50 per barrel. The City Mills quote prices as follows: Extra Family, (Winter) in barrels, $9,30, and, in sacks, $9,00 per barrel; Double Extra Family, in barrels, $9,80, and, in sacks, $9,50 per barrel, and Spring, $8,00, in barrels, and $7,70, in sacks, per barrel.

WHISKY—Highwines are firm and held steadily at the advance, 97 to 98c, in a jobbing way.

Financial Matters in New York.

Gold Closed at 135¼@135¼.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, February 15, 1869.

MONEY.

Money is easy and without any special feature. Call loans 6@7 per cent.; prime paper 7@8 per cent. Sterling is demoralized by a large supply against the heavy shipments of bonds and other securities, and is quoted at 85¾@89 for sixty days, and 89¾ for sight bills. Gold was almost stationary at one time, and there was considerable animation on dispatches that a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to sell thirty millions would be introduced in the House to-day, and the market fell ¼c, but soon recovered, and prices opened at 135¼, advanced to 135½, fell to 135, and closed at 135¼@135¼. Clearances, $41,000,000. Imports for the week, $1,029,568.

BONDS AND STOCKS.

Governments again excited and higher under foreign advices, and the belief that Grant's speech will have a beneficial effect abroad. Arrangements have been made for having the '67s called in London upon the passage by the Senate of a bill closing up loans, of which there is little question. Prices advanced during the forenoon ⅜ to 1 per cent., but at the afternoon call ¼ to ¼ of the advance was lost. The '62s had touched 116, and the '67s 111¾. Closing prices: Coupons of 1881, 115½@115¾; do. '62, 115½@115¾; do. '64, 112¾@112½; do. '65, 113¾@113¾; new do., 111¼@111¼; do. '67, 111¾@111¼; do. '68, 111¼@111¾: Ten-Forties, 110¼@110¼. Market excited.

State bonds without special feature; Missouris, 87¾@88; New Tennessees, 66¼@67; North Carolinas, 60¾@61; Virginias, 61¾@62; Louisiana Levee, 60@65.

The stock market during the day was dull and without special feature, but steady. At the first regular board there was a fractional decline throughout the list, except on Chicago and Alton, which rose to 101 on small sales, and Mariposa preferred, which rose to 29¾@30. The market was firmer at the second board, but later was again dull and a trifle lower, Chicago and Alton losing more than its advance. The whole market closed, however, quite steady.

Five-twenty Prices:—Cumberland, 37½@37¾; Wells Express, 27½@29; American, 47½@48; Adams, 66½@66¾; Mercnants Union, 18¾@19; Quicksilver, 22¼@23; Canton, 61@61¼; Pacific Mail, 113¾@113¾; Western Union Telegraph, 37@37½; Hartford and Erie, 26; Mariposa, 9¾@9¾; do. preferred, 30@30½; New York Central, 162½@162¾; Erie 36½@36¾; Hudson, 135½@136; Harlem, 137½@138; Reading 94½@94¾; Terre Haute, 37@ preferred, 67½@68; Wabash, 66@66½; preferred, 77@79; St. Paul, 66½@66¾; preferred, 78¾@79; Fort Wayne, 118¼@118¾; Ohio and Mississippi, 35@35½; Michigan Central, 118¾@119½; Michigan Southern, 93¾@93¾; Illinois Central, 144@145; Pittsburgh, 91@91¼; Toledo, 105½@105¾; Rock Island, 130¼@131½; Northwestern, 83¾@83¾; do. preferred, 91¾@91¾; C. C. & Ind. Central, 49@49¼; Chicago and Alton, 158½; Lake Shore, 105; Marietta and Cincinnati first preferred, 28; St. Joseph, 112½; C. C. & I., 71½.

Mining Shares dull; Smith & Parmelee, 205.

Copper Stocks at Boston—Calumet, 50; Copper Falls, 16; Franklin, 18½; Hecla, 70; Hancock, 4; Minnesota, 3; Quincy, 30.

Receipts at the Sub-Treasury, $963,-991; payments, $1,186,697; balance, $87,-818,227.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, February 15.—Cotton dull and ¼c lower, with sales of 1,900 bales at 29½c for middling uplands. Flour; receipts, 4,628 bbls and 1,267 bags; dull and declining, with sales of 5,800 bbls at $5,65a6,40 for superfine State and western, $6,65a7,15 for extra State, $6,65a7,45 for extra western, $7,50a8,70 for white wheat extra, $6,75a8,60 for round hoop Ohio, $7,50a8,50 for extra St. Louis, and $9,00a12 for good to choice do.; closing quiet. Rye Flour quiet, with sales of 250 bbls at $5,25a7,35. Corn Meal quiet, with sales of 200 bbls choice western at $4,75. Whisky quiet and unchanged. Wheat; receipts, 50,660 bushels; dull and 2c lower, sales 34,000 bus at $1,59½a1,63½ for No. 2 spring in store and delivered, $2,12½ for white Michigan. Rye quiet and heavy. Barley dull and drooping. Barlev Malt quiet. Corn—receipts, 2,822 bush; market dull and about 1c lower, with sales 34,000 bush at 91a92c for new mixed western, 94c for southern yellow, and 93½c for handsome white southern. Oats—receipts, 5,254 bush; market lower, with sales 68,000 bush at 75c for western in store, and 77c for do. afloat. Stock of grain in warehouse—2,512,694 bus wheat, 1,297,380 bush corn, 2,226,917 bush oats, 217,111 bush rye, 132,000 bush barley, 64,701 bush malt, 57,107 bush peas. Rice quiet. Linseed Oil quiet at $1,03a1,05. Coffee quiet and firm; sales of 250 bags Laguayra at 17a17¼c, gold. Sugar firm and quiet, under light offerings; sales of 900 hhds Cuba at 12¼a13¼c; 100 boxes Havana and 4,000 bags Brazil, both at private terms. Molasses active, excited and higher; sales of 2,500 hhds Cuba on spot and to arrive, at 53a59c; 300 hhds Barbadoes at 55c; 165 bbls New Orleans at 81a85c. Petroleum quiet at 22½c for crude; 37¼c for refined, bonded. Hops quiet at 5a15c for American. Spirits Turpentine very quiet, at 56¼a57½c. Pork quiet and steady; sales of 650 bbls, al $32,37a32,50 for new mess; $31,75a32,00 for old do.; $26,75a27,25 for prime, and $29a31 for prime mess; also sales of 750 bbls of new mess, seller for three months, at $32,25: seller to June 1st at $32,25; seller to March on private terms. Beef quiet; sales of 335 bbls, at $9a16,50 for new plain mess and $14a19,50 for new extra mess. Tierce Beef quiet; sales of 1,450 tierces, at $27a31 for prime mess and $30a35 for India mess. Beef Hams quiet; sales of 110 bbls at 30a31. Cut Meats steady; sales of 170 packages, at 14a14¼c for shoulders; 18a18¼c for hams. Dressed Hogs dull at $13,50a14,25 for western, and $14,50a15 for city, chiefly at $15. Middles are dull and heavy; sales 140 bxs at 15c for Cumberland cut. Lard dull and heavy; sales 580 tcs at 18¾a19¾c for steam, and 20a20¼c for kettle rendered; also, 500 tcs steam, seller for March, at 19¾c. Butter is quiet at 24a35c for Ohio. Cheese firm at 17a22c. Freights to Liverpool are dull and lower, with engagements of 30,-000 bush wheat at 5d per sail, and 5¼d per steam.

Latest.—Flour closed dull and 5a10c lower. Wheat quiet and 1c lower on spring. Rye nominal. Oats dull and heavy at 90a90½c for new mixed western; old do. dull and nominal. Pork stronger; sales of 250 bbls new mess at $32,50. Regular beef more steady and in moderate demand. Cut meats dull and less firm. Bacon quiet and drooping. Lard quiet at 19¼a19¾c for fair to prime steam. Eggs steady at 22a25.

NEW YORK, February 15.—The Cattle market was heavy; receipts for the week were 5,383 beeves; 25,880 sheep and lambs; 9,698 hogs, with fair arrivals and only a moderately active demand. The market for Beef Cattle last week was heavy though prices are without any quotable change, ranging from 10c to 17c. To-day prices are unchanged, sales being at 10a 17c for superior to extra; arrivals are fair, being 2,119 head; extra sold at 17c; prime, 16¼a16½c; fair to good, 15a16c; inferior to ordinary, 10a14½c. Sheep and Lambs; the market last week was moderately active and prices steady, with moderate arrivals, chiefly composed of common stock. To-day the arrivals were only moderate, and, the demand being light, the market was quiet and heavy for almost all grades. Prices ranged from 6c to 8¾c for common State to extra Michigan. Hogs: the arrivals last week were very light, and the market was heavy and prices declined. To-day there were 3,408 head arrived, almost all for slaughterers, but no sales were effected; prices are nominal at 11a11¾c for common to prime. Dressed hogs declined, closing at 13½a14c for western, and 14¾a15c for city.

NEW YORK, February 15.—*Dry Goods Market.*—Market inactive for most classes of cotton and woolen goods, and a little depressed for fancy styles of prints, which has been reduced ¼c per yard today. It is anticipated that Dunnells and Merrimack will also recede ¼c, but most other printers are not disposed to make any concession as there is but little room for a margin, while Gray cloths sell at 9a9¼. Pacific prints are in request at 13½. Heavy brown sheetings steady at 16½a17 for Aguusta, Appleton and Atlantic A. Heavy brown drills steady and in limited demand at 17½ for Lancaster. Ginghams bring 17 and Glasgow 16. Mous de Laines in moderate request at 20.

CHICAGO, February 15.—Flour quiet and firmer, a shade higher for good to choice, and dull and easy for low and medium grades: spring extras sold at $5,62½a$6,69. Wheat a shade firmer, sales of No. 1 at $1,24a$1,25; No. 2, $1,17a $1,18, closing quiet at $1,16¼a$1,16¾; sales this evening at $1,16¼. Corn moderately at ¼a½c higher; sales of No. 1 at 59a60c; no grade, 55a56c; closing at 59a 59¾c for new. Oats dull and nominal at 53¾a54c for No. 2; closing with sellers at 53½c, but no buyers. Rye quiet; sales of No. 1 at $1,17a$1,19; closing at $1,19 for strictly fresh. Receipts, Barley $1,90a1,92. Highwines dull at 92c. Provisions dull, opened lower, but subsequently a firmer feeling prevailed. Mess pork closed 25c higher and Lard ¼c higher; sales mess pork at $32a32,50 cash, $32,50 buyers for the month, and $33 buyers for March. Bulk meats neglected and entirely nominal. Dressed hogs quiet and tame and a few lots sold at $13,50a14,50 all nominal; $12a12,50 for soft, and $12,75a14 for frozen lots, dividing on 200; live quiet and unchanged. Receipts for the past 48 hours—11,266 bbls flour, 38,806 bu wheat, 40,394 bu corn, 25,621 bu oats, 4,073 bu rye, 3,150 bu barley, 2,797 hogs. Shipments—12,877 bbls flour, 52,579 bu wheat, 19,015 bu corn, 6,330 bu oats, 3,918 bu rye, 7,524 bu barley, 3,188 hogs.

CLEVELAND, February 15.—Flour: city made sells at $11,50 for treble extra white; $9,50a9,75 for double extra amber; $8,25a8,50 for double extra red winter; $6,20a7,50 for double extra spring; country made: $7,50a8 for double extra spring. Wheat: No. 1 red winter is held at $1,66; No. 2 do. $1,55. Corn is held at 70a71c. Oats are held at 63c. Rye quiet and steady at $1,30a1,32 for No. 1; No. 2, $1,25a1,28. Barley sells at $2,20a2,25 for No. 1 Canada. Petroleum market is quiet for refined which is held at 33¼a34c for standard white in large lots; 32½a33c for prime light straw to white.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.—Flour dull; family $7a7,50. Wheat dull; small sales at $1,60a1,70 for Nos 2 and 1 red winter. Corn dull at 64c. Oats firm at 66c. Whisky steady at 95c. Mess pork held at $33, bu $32 was the best offer made. Bulk meats held at 13a13¼c for shoulders, sides and clear sides. Lard held at 19½a20c. Sugar higher and the market is still excited; sales 360 hhds raw and 940 bbls refined raw, and closed at 13¾a16c for New Orleans; 14¼a15¼c for Porto Rico, 13½a14½c for Cuba, and 16a16½c for Demarara. Lard—refined 18a19c; soft 17¼a18½c. No change in oil.

ST. LOUIS, February 15.—Tobacco in good demand and unchanged. Flour $5,25a6,00 for superfine, $6a6,50 for extra, $6,85a7,50 for double extra, and $8,25a 11,50 for double extra to fancy. Wheat: sales of fair to strictly prime fall at $1,50 a1,75, choice to fancy do $1,85a2,05, spring $1,33a1,37 for No. 2, and $1,40a1,42 for No. 1. Corn slow at 72a73c. Oats steady at 64a68c, and fancy black for seed 73a74c. Barley $1,90a2,22 for spring. Rye firm at $1,30a1,32. Whiskey easier at 95c. Pork quiet and unchanged at $33.

PHILADELPHIA, February 15.—Flour very quiet. Wheat, good scarce and looking up, common to good red $1,75a 1,85, amber $1,90. Rye $1,50. Corn less active, yellow 87a91c. Oats firm at 72a 76c for western. Petroleum nominal. Coffee firm. Sugar greatly excited and held for further advance. Molasses, Cuba and Muscovado 50a60c. Provisions unchanged. Whisky dull 97ca$1.

MEMPHIS, February 15.—Cotton quiet at 28c; receipts, 3,090 bales; exports, 730 bales. Flour: low grades are firm; superfine, $6,75a7,25; fancy grades are dull. Corn, 70a72c. Oats, 78a80c. Hay, $27 and firm. Bran, 24a25c. Cornmeal, $3,40a 3,50. Pork is weak and sells for $34,50. Bulk Meats are firm and clear sides sell at 17¾a18c; shoulders, 14¼c. Dressed Hogs; 13a13½c.

LOUISVILLE, February 15.—Tobacco active; sales 83 hhds common to medium manufacturing at $5a20,50. Cotton 28c. Mess Pork $33. Lard 20¼c. Bacon: shoulders 14¾c; clear rib sides 17¾c; clear sides 18¼c. Bulk Shoulders 15¾c; clear rib sides 16¾c; clear sides 17¼c—all packed. Flour $5,75a6,00. Wheat $1,70. Corn 65a67c. Oats 63a65c. Whisky 96c.

TOLEDO, Feb. 15.—Wheat dull; amber 2¼c lower, at $1,66½ on spot, and $1,68, buyer for February. Corn dull and lower; sales new at 66¼c, and rejected at 66c. Oats 60c. Barley steady at $2,20 for Canada, and $2 for State. Dressed Hogs are dull and nominal. Clover seed is 10c better; sales at $9,40.

BALTIMORE, February 15.—Ftour quiet and steady. Wheat firm; sales prime Valley red at $2,25a2,30. Corn firm; yellow, 92c; white, 94c. Oats strong at 70a 75c. Rye firm. Provisions unchanged.

MILWAUKEE, February 15.—Flour unchanged. Wheat at $1,20 for No. 1, and $1,14½ for No. 2. Oats dull at 33¾c for No. 2. Corn firm: 50c rejected. Dressed Hogs dull at $12,50a13.

ST. LOUIS, February 15—*Cattle Market.*—Hogs: butchers are paying 9a11c. Cattle are in fair local request at 3a7c gross for common to choice.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—*Cattle Market.*—Beef cattle neglected and nominal at $3,50 a7,50.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD, February 15.—5 cars iron ore Shoenberger, Blair & Co; 4 cars limestone ore, McNight, Porter & Co; 50 bbls oil, Jno Spear; 1 car rye, W J Meek; 1 do barley, R Robinson & Co; 1 car fire clay, B L Yons & Co; 1 car wheat, J H Stringer; 1 iron tank, Atwood & McCaffery; 1 bx do 1 bbl tallow, Reed & Johnson; 20 bbls whisky, W H Holmes; 85 bxs candles, Rinehart & Stevens; 5 do tobe, Lindsay & McCune; 3 bxs coffee, W E Coffin; 6 brls apples, 4 do R Rutter; 2 buckets honey, Head & Mentzer; 3 do clover seed, Carter McGraw & Co; 5 tubs cheese, Graff & Rerter; 3 kgs butter, 2 scks rage T C Jenkens; 2 brls eggs, L H Voight & Co; 50 bxs soap, S P Shriver & Co; 1 car lumber, W W Ridgon & Co; 60 brls fluid, J J Palmer & Co; 1 car pig iron, Dickson McElroy & Co; 6 bdls felloes, 4 do hubs, 1 do double trees, Baumer & Co; 2 bdls hdls Whitmore, Wolf & Co; 5 brls dryers, T H Nevin & Co.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD, February 15.—28 cars metal, Nimick & Co.; 1 do do, Brown & Co.; 3 do do, John Moorhead; 100 bbls flour, Watt, Long & Co.; 400 do do, Culp & Shepard; 400 do do, owners; 100 do do, 1 car rye, David Wallace; 250 pigs lead, J. B. Lyon & Co.; 3 cars wheat, J. S. Leggett & Co.; 100 bbls flour, All, Stoner & Co.; 25 bbls vinegar, P. Duff & Son; 1 car oats, Graham & Marshall; 143 sks barley, J. M. Carson & Co.; 5 kegs butter, 7 pkgs jelly, 7 pkgs apple butter, H. Res, Jr.; 5 bbls butter, 6 kegs do, W. Moff & Co.; 1 car corn, Bingham & Young; 1 car bones, Seward & Campbell, 1 car barley, E. Wainwright; 47 bags rags, Godfrey & Clark; 55 bbls oil, Johnson & Painter; 1 car lumber, Manz & Co.; 10 bbls apples, Meanor & Harper; 20 bbls tallow, Penna. R. R.; 1 car corn, J. W. Simpson; 1 do do, Hutchcock, McCready & Co.; 6 pkgs butter, Woodworth & Davison; 3 do do, Vaigh, Mahood & Co.

ALLEGHENY STATION, February 15.—1 car metal, Lindsey & McCutcheon; 159 bus oats, 56 do rye, R Knox & Sons; 440 bus barley, J. Rhodes & Co; 10 bbls flour, Shugard & Co; 10 cars coal, S Harbaugh & Co; 3 cars metal, Lewis, Bailey & Dalzell; 4 cars corn, V B Wopeer; 1 car wheat, Wm McKee & Co; 2 cars metal, Shang, Chalfant & Co; 2 do do, Royers & Buchfield; 1 car wheat, R T Kennedy Bros; 5 bxs soap, J A Scott; 1 car lumber, Smith, Criswell & Co; 8 bags flax seed, Ewer, Hamilton & Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD, February 15.—1 car metal, Brown & Co; 2 do do, John Moorhead; 1 do do, Lvons, Short & Co; 4 do do, McKnight, Porter & Co; 10 bbls oil, J J Lawrence; 2 bbls cabbage, 1 bbl eggs, Paul & Gibson; 1,968 bus oats, Scott & Gisai; 320 bbls oil, R H Palmer; 80 do do Fisher & Bro; 80 do do T R Pittock; 80 do do James Wilkins; 478 bus oats, J & A Deutz; 7 bbls glue, 1 pkg glue, W B Hays & Son.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD, February 15.—1 car metal, John Moorhead; 14 rolls leather, G H Anderson; 25 kegs nails, Morten, Buckell & Co; 19 bbls whisky, Dillenger & Stevenson; 113 sks rye, W J Meeke; 135 bdls iron, W F Armstrong.

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD February 12.—25 bags clover seed, A Kirkpatrick; 154 do wheat, Scott & Gisale; 25 do rye, J S Finch; 2 bbls whisky, B L Fahenstock.

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RIVER NEWS.

River continues to swell steadily, with ten feet six inches of water in the channel last evening. The weather has again turned cold, and last night the wind was from the west, with indications of snow.

The following tow-boats were getting ready yesterday, but will hardly be ready to leave before Wednesday: Grand Lake, Lake Erie No. 4, Panther, Ajax, Antelope and Magara.

The Julia No. 2, from Zanesville, is the only arrival we have to report. She returns again to day at noon.

The Bayard, Capt. Geo. D. Moore, is the regular packet for Parkersburg today, leaving promptly at noon.

The Kate Putnam, Capt. G. W. Reed, leaves for Nashville this afternoon. She will take all freight that may offer for Cincinnati, Louisville and intermediate points. The Putnam is in tip top condition for business.

The Wauanita, Capt. Thomas Shuman, is following up rapidly and will be the first out for New Orleans.

The Lorena, Capt. Samuel Shuman, will be the next boat out for St. Louis. She is one of the best boats in the trade. Capt. James Vandergrift still retains charge of the office.

The following boats were in port last evening: Maggie Hays, Kate Putnam, Lorena, Wauanita, New York, Annadillo Armenia and Julia No. 2.

SOMETHING ABOUT BIG TRIPS.—As the cotton season is pretty well advanced and the general opinion prevails among steamboatmen, and others who have the means of knowing, that the bulk of the cotton crop has been shipped to the market, the following figures in reference to big trips of the staple, transported this season, will not prove uninteresting.

Three largest trips delivered at New Orleans:

Mississippi, Dec. 8th	4,113 bales
Magenta, Dec. 1st	4,028 "
R. E. Lee, Oct. 15th	3,784 "

Largest trip from Greenville to New Orleans:

Frank Pargoud, Oct. 15th	3,237 bales

Two largest trips leaving Vicksburg:

Belle Lee, Dec. 22d	2,770 bales
R. E. Lee, Oct. 15th	1,826 "

The largest trips out of the Yazoo river:

Calumet, Dec. 21	946 bales
" Nov. 1st	826 "
" Oct. 15th	755 "

According to the published manifests, the Mississippi has carried into New Orleans the largest trip of any boat during the season, which fact, if established, entitles her to the bell-rope offered by Captain W. M. Williams, of our city, for this performance. The fact of her so doing, however, is disputed by Captain Hicks, who insists that the Magenta has carried the biggest trip, and the manifest reported by the Mississippi was incorrect. We suppose the matter can be easily decided by the discharging clerks of the respective boats at New Orleans, when Captain Williams will deliver the rope to the successful contestant.—*Vicksburg Herald.*

—A Louisville telegram to the Cincinnati *Commercial*, under date of Sunday, says: "The Silver Lake, which has for some time been lying at the foot of the Falls, ascended the Falls this morning, and left for Pittsburgh. The R. C. Gray departed for Pittsburgh, flying light. The Abeona, to-morrow, gets 50 tons of miscellaneous freight. Judge Ballard has not yet rendered his decision in the case of Father Beckman vs. the Mail-boat Gen. Lytle. In the case of Napoleon Jenkins, pilot of the Ameiica, a large number of witnesses have been heard on both sides, before the Grand Jury, and the case before them has been concluded, but as yet they have rendered no indictment against him, and the supposition is that none will be made.

—The Nashville *Union* and *American* says: A general personal reconciliation among the members of our river circle was effected yesterday evening. Old scores were settled, the tomahawk buried, and friendly relations established generally. Capt. Peebles even embraced in his generous forgiveness all members of the differen secret societies. We hope to see all bad feeling buried, and our river men hereafter adopt Capt. Dix's co-operative plan, and be a harmonious band of brothers.

—The report that the Lexington was heavily insured at the time of her departure, is denied by Captain H. G. Carson, one of her owners. He says her insurance has not been changed since July last, and then she was only insured for $16,000, and the failure of one company, that was reduced to $6,000, which was all that was on her at the time of her destruction.

—The Cincinnati and St. Louis Express Line has been recognized for the ensuing season. The line will comprise the following steamers: Campion, Capt. W. C. Grubb; Melnotte, Capt. Jas. Keniston; Kate Robinson, Capt. J. Alex. Frazier; Anna, Capt. O. P. Shickle; Shamrock, Capt. Geo. W. Cullum; and Abeona, Capt. Hiram J. Vinton.

—Asbury Reno, long and favorably known on the river as an engineer, died at his residence in Rocnester, Pa., on Friday evening. His last steamboating was on the Robt. Moore, with Capt. Wash. Kerr. The deceased was a very worthy man, and leaves a wife and three children.

—The Board of Supervising Inspectors, at their recent session in Washington, decided to continue in force the present rules for the government of pilots, for the reason that the pilots of Louisville, Cincinnati and St. Louis differed widely as to the changes petitioned for.

—The body of Daniel Lord, of Dunkirk, New York, a victim of the Mail Line disasters on the Ohio, was found floating in the river at Vevay, Indiana, on the 9th inst.

—The Mary Alice with 14, and the Alps with 15 empty barges in tow, passed Cincinnati on Sunday, from New Orleans, to Pittsburgh.

—Capt. John Noss, formerly of the Importer, will introduce the West Wind in the Cincinnati and Madison trade on Wednesday next.

—Hard bread and pepper-sauce—the hot meal system—has been introduced on the Nashville and Cairo packets.

—The Henry Adkins arrived at Leavenworth, from St. Louis, on Tuesday, the earliest arrival in ten years.

—Com. Hughes has sold his one-fourth interest in the Nashville, for $2,000, at twelve months, without interest.

—Capt. B. F. Egan has bought a one-fourth interest in the Alpha, at the rate of $6,000 for the whole boat.

—Seven thousand dollars was refused for the Argonaut, at Cairo last week. $8,000 was the price asked.

—The Millie Stevens, recently burned in Red river, is insured for $4,000 in the Enterprise, of Cincinnati.

—The R. C. Gray and Leonidas, were advertised to leave Cincinnati for Pittsburgh, on Monday.

—The Great Republic was launched from the ways at Mound city on Saturday.

—The Henry Ames arrived at N. O., from St. Louis, on Friday.

River and Weather.

LOUISVILLE, February 15.—River rising, with nine feet nine inches of water in canal. Weather cloudy and cold.

STEAMBOATS.

FOR CAIRO AND ST. LOUIS—The steamer LORENA.....Capt. D. SHUMAN. Will leave for the above and intermediate ports on WEDNESDAY, 17th inst., at 4 P. M. For freight or passage apply on board or to JNO. FLACK, or J. D. COLLINGWOOD, Agents. fe15

FOR MEMPHIS AND NEW ORLEANS—The steamer WAUANITA.....Capt. THOMAS SHUMAN. Will leave for the above ports on SATURDAY, February 13th. For freight or passage apply on board or to J. D. COLLINGWOOD, or JOHN FLACK, Agents. fe10

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WE PRINT *on the inside pages of this morning's* GAZETTE—*Second page: State News, Ohio News. Third and Sixth pages: Financial, Commercial, Markets, River News, Imports. Seventh page: Clippings, Interesting Miscellany, Amusements.*

U. S. BONDS at Frankfort, 82.

PETROLEUM at Antwerp, 58½@59f.

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 135¼.

TENNESSEE has fixed the fire-test of illuminating oils at 120 degrees, with $500 fine for the offense of selling oils below that grade. Another bill is now pending in her Legislature for the appointment of an inspector. The States are thus led to attempt some remedy for the short-comings of Federal legislation.

THOSE friends of aspiring politicians who have been industrious in intimating that their favorites "have been invited" by General GRANT to enter the Cabinet, are in rather a tight place, since the declarations of the President-elect last Saturday. They will not indulge in any more "intimations" at present.

THE Legislative proposition to turn all the legal advertising of this county into the columns of an obscure print which ninety-five per cent. of our tax payers have never heard of, finds but little favor at Harrisburg. Its introduction by one of our members was a matter of personal favor to a friend, and distinctly with the understanding that he should himself vote against it.

THE SUFFRAGE amendment, and all other important legislation in which the concurrence of Mr. JOHNSON is not expected, must be matured before the close of the current week. Otherwise, the President may pocket bills which are obnoxious to him, and deprive Congress of the opportunity to re-pass them over a veto. This week, therefore, disposes of the suffrage and of all reconstruction business for the session.

The Senate amendment to the suffrage-articles does not meet the views of the House Judiciary Committee, which holds that, as it stands, "it does not prevent the States from disfranchising men on account of a previous condition of slavery, and by inference, Congress may disfranchise anybody, as the prohibition, as it now stands, relates only to the States." Yet, it is quite possible that, regarding the limited time for the discussion of differences between the Houses, the House may consent, with or without a Conference Committee, to the perpetual exclusion of the educational test, and accept the work of the Senate, as it is now offered to them.

THE PRESS CORRESPONDENTS at the Capital really wield a most potent influence, giving tone to the journalism of the country, and a positive bias to public opinion. These correspondents, with a very few honorable exceptions, are entirely without personal honor or political principle—men who either imitate or fear the infamously notorious fellow whose corruption was lately exposed in the Alaska investigation. This man, and the entire tribe of his following, are very properly ignored by all good people in the social courtesies of Washington society. Usually, they avenge this slight by blackmailing the husbands and fathers who are at the same time politicians. There are some public men at the Capital who refuse to pay even that tax for the support of the disreputable scribblers, and against such the whole pack of hounds are always heard in full cry.

For example, it is said that the parties and receptions at the house of General BUTLER are really the most brilliant that Washington has ever known. BUTLER himself regards the black-mailing fraternity with contempt, and will neither buy them off with money bribes nor social consideration. This is an unpardonable offense, which Washington hack-writers will never forgive. It is not surprising, therefore, to perceive that all of them, with three or four honorable exceptions, have improved a recent opportunity to malign Gen. BUTLER, and present him to the country as a pestilent disturber of the public tranquility. For the most part, the press have followed the lead of their Washington correspondents, so that BUTLER is to-day the worst-abused public man in this country, next to Mr. JOHNSON.

THE SENATE NATURALIZATION BILL, reported from its Judiciary Committee on Saturday, requires the declaration of intention and oath to be made before a Federal Court, or a Commissioner of Bankruptcy, who is to be charged also with the function; all State tribunals are excluded. Application for final papers must be preceded by one month's notice of the intention, this notice specifying the particulars concerning the previous declaration of intention. This notice to be preserved on file for public inspection. Before the final papers are granted, the applicant must prove four and a half years' citizenship, including one year in the State. The notice and application may be contested by any party filing an affidavit; the contest shall be duly adjudicated by the Court. The blank certificates shall be furnished from the State Department, of a character to defy counterfeiting. All papers now out, and dated within the year preceding the passage of this bill, are required to be presented to the Courts or Commissioners and approved, after proof of their non-fraudulent origin. Certificates of an older date, if not so presented and endorsed, may be challenged. Final papers when voted on must be stamped "used," when received, or "rejected" when not received, and rejected certificates shall be annulled by the Courts on proof of fraud: the holders thereof are also required to produce them on suspicion and demand. Heavy penalties are fixed for the issue, reception or use of forged or fraudulent certificates.

There can be no doubt that the proposed act, of which the above is a synopsis, is thorough in its provisions for the protection of honest citizens, native or foreign-born, against the infamous practices which, of late years, have brought such merited odium upon the present system, making of the suffrage a prize which, the greater the rascal, the easier and quicker he should secure.

UNFORTUNATELY, in this ugly business from Georgia, General BUTLER was so careless as to lose his temper, saying some things which overleaped the cooler judgment of that majority of the House which, there are good reasons for believing, concurs with him in opinion upon the merits of the case. Taking a shrewd advantage of this, his opponents have beaten him, and given to an awkward question the go-by. Says the Albany *Journal*:

> For once, we think Ben. Butler was decidedly in the right. Georgia has not complied with the provisions of the Reconstruction acts, and therefore is not entitled to recognition or representation. Her attitude up to November last was one of quasi Rebellion and hostility to the Union. Until Georgia has fully complied with the cardinal provisions of the Reconstruction laws and the requirements of the Constitution, by granting equal rights to all her citizens, she cannot be entitled to recognition, and partnership in the operations of the Federal Government.

Says the Utica *Herald:*

> This concurrent resolution (Edmunds') is one of the silliest things by which any body of men ever attempted to shirk responsibility. Butler was right in making war upon this mode of disposing of an unpleasant duty; but he was wrong in the manner and time of doing it. It should have been done when the resolution was before the House for its concurrence; and the wonder is that any sane body of men ever allowed themselves to be caught in such a silly trap.

And, while Republican journals see nothing in this business beyond the duty of abusing BUTLER in the roundest terms, the old rebel element is carefully improving the situation which Congress has prepared for them. Virginia boasts that by the forbearance and point-no-point policy of Congress, she is to "get better terms than any other Southern State;" Georgia snaps her fingers at Congress and orders a new Congressional election for next month; Kentucky nullifies the Civil Rights bill, and joins with Maryland in spitting upon the XIVth Constitutional article regulating representation in Congress.

TARIFFS AND NATIONAL PROSPERITY—CAREY ON WELLES.

An elaborate Report, from Commissioner WELLES, upon the subject of tariffs and revenue, was recently laid before Congress, and has been generally submitted to public opinion. Embodying a vast deal of correct information, but interwoven with the most specious fallacies of logic, and with artful but at bottom unjustifiable inferences from certain facts which were set forth prominently as decisive of the questions involved—this Report has been adopted by free-trade journals everywhere, and made use of with considerable effect, to assail that principle of protection for the National industry which, in more or less perfect forms, has been the National policy since HENRY CLAY distinguished himself as the champion of the "American System."

In the meantime, politicians have been too much engrossed with other public questions, of a pressing emergency, to give proper attention in counteracting the mischievous effects of this Report left unanswered. Indeed, there has been a very general inclination, in and out of Congress, to postpone the readjustment of the Tariff question so as to cure the many glaring defects in the operations of the prevailing system, until the new Administration could be fairly installed in the conduct of public affairs. This Congress lays aside the question now, not because Mr. WELLES has given really good reasons for doubting the justice of those principles which the country has hitherto recognized, but because other issues, of at least equal importance, must have instant attention, admitting of no delay. The XLIst Congress will meet a less urgent condition of the public business in that regard, and we have the most encouraging reason to believe that the claims of American Labor will be among the first to demand and receive its patient and exhaustive consideration, and with a justly satisfactory decision.

Nor is Commissioner WELLES to remain unanswered. Having very rashly made an issue with HENRY C. CAREY, the Commissioner sees it promptly accepted, and his facts and logic alike are to be thoroughly sifted, and exposed in their true light, as perversions and fallacies, by a writer who deservedly stands the very first among the living friends to Home Industry. We have to thank Mr. CAREY for responding to the public desire, which has, with an universal consent, looked to him, as of all living Americans the one best qualified by study and experience to maintain that American principle.

The Commissioner, having undertaken to combat the general opinion that tariff-legislation heretofore has had a direct influence, favorable or unfavorable, upon the general prosperity of our people, attempted to support his position by citations, as of fact, from the actual history of the country, especially controverting the idea that, as the tariff of 1842 had been beneficial, so that of 1846 had been pernicious to the popular interests. Hence, he inferred, the country had suffered, if at all, rather from the instability of its legislation than from the specific merits or demerits of any particular measure, and that it would have been really more prosperous without any attempt whatever at legislation regarding isolated departments of industry. The intended effect of this kind of argument was directly to strengthen that free-trading school of political economists who opposed restrictions upon foreign importations, but who, fortunately, have never succeeded in striking down the arms of American labor, except in that degree with which those temporary triumphs have been attained by speciously covering free trade under the cloak of trade-regulation.

Mr. CAREY takes the bold and direct issue with the free-trading Commissioner of Revenue. He denies his facts, used as these have been, and proposes to ventilate his "arguments" so clearly as to show that Mr. WELLES is "wholly disqualified for the office of public teacher." In a brief history of tariff legislation, from which we quote, Mr. CAREY writes:

> The revenue tariff period which followed the close, in 1815, of the great European war, was one of great distress both private and public. With 1824, however, there came a partial attempt at remedy of the evils under which our whole people were then so severely suffering, a tariff having then been established under which pig iron and potatoes were abundantly protected, pipes and penknives being admitted at moderate ad valorem duties. The rude products of agriculture were, in effect, prohibited from being imported in their original forms, but when they presented themselves in those of cotton and woolen cloths all difficulty disappeared. Slight was the benefit resulting from such a measure, but benefit did result, and hence it was that it came so soon to be followed by the admirable tariff of 1828, the first really protective one ever established by Congress. Under it all was changed, and with a rapidity so great that but five years of its action were required for giving to the country a prosperity such as had never before been known. * * * Northern submission to Carolina threats of nullification next gave us the Compromise of 1833, by means of which the country was, within the next decade, to be brought under a strictly revenue tariff of 20 per cent.
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> For the first two years general prosperity continued to be maintained. Therafter, however, we find the whole period of its existence presenting a series of contractions and expansions ending in a state of weakness so extreme that bankruptcy was almost universal; that labor was everywhere seeking for employment; that the public credit was so entirely destroyed that the closing year of that unfortunate period exhibited the disgraceful fact of commissioners, appointed by the Treasury, wandering throughout Europe and knocking at the doors of the principal banking houses without obtaining the loan of a single dollar. Public and private distress, now, August, 1842, compelling a return to the protective system, we find almost at once a reproduction of the prosperous days of the period from 1829 to 1835, public and private credit having been restored, and the demand for labor and its products having become greater than at any former period.
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> Again, however, do we find our people forgetting that to the protective policy had been due the marvellous changes that were then being witnessed, and again, 1846, returning to that revenue tariff tariff system to which they had been indebted for the scenes of ruin which had marked the periods from 1817 to 1828, and from 1835 to 1842. California gold now, however, came in aid of free trade theories, and for a brief period it was really believed that protection had become a dead issue and could never again be revived. With 1854, however, that delusion passed away, the years that followed, like those of the previous revenue tariff periods, having been marked by enormous expansions and contractions, financial crises, private ruin and such destruction of the national credit that with the close of Mr. Buchanan's administration we find the treasury unable to obtain the trivial amount which was then required, except on payment of most enormous rates of interest.
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> Once again, 1861, do we find the country driven to protection, and the public credit by its means so well established as to enable the Treasury, with little difficulty, to obtain the means of carrying on a war whose annual cost was more than had been the total public expenditures of half a century, including the war with Great Britain of 1812. Thrice thus, under the tariffs of 1828, 1842 and 1861, has protection redeemed the country from almost ruin. Thrice thus, under the revenue tariffs of 1871, 1833 and 1846, has it been sunk so low that none could be found "so poor to do it reverence."

Having disposed of WELLES on the inutility of tariff-legislation, in its real bearings upon the national prosperity at large, Mr. CAREY next proceeds to examine the details in reference to particular interests, and devotes his next article to the iron-manufactures.

Bearing in mind that the writer proposes to show the utter falsity of the Commissioner's assertion, that the "general progress of the country, in the development of its material interests, is independent of legislation," let us look at the facts now cited.

In 1810, we had 153 furnaces, producing a total of 54,000 tons of iron. Subsequent statistics are only reliable to show that the Tariff of '17 closed the factories and furnaces, and almost completed the ruin of the manufacturers.

In 1824, came a semi-protective tariff, under which the furnace-fires were again lighted, carrying up the product, in '28, to 130,000 tons.

Under the full tariff of 1828, the product swelled to 165,000 tons in 1830, and 200,000 tons in '32.

The act of '32 freed tea, coffee, and many other articles, including railway iron, from duty—the last a serious blow to the trade.

The Compromise tariff of '33, looking eventually to the establishment of a purely revenue system, was so graded in its operations as to be comparatively untelt until '35, the iron product increasing slowly for the two years. Indeed, up to 1840, the annual product had reached 347,000 tons. But in '41, came the fifth reduction under this compromise tariff, getting nearly down to the horizontal twenty per cent. prescribed by its terms for '42-3. Now was seen a state of things, which, says Mr. CAREY, was:—

> Wholly without parallel in the country's history, and even exceeding that of the revenue tariff period of 1817. The country swarmed with men, women and children reduced to beggary because of finding no employment, owners of mills and mines meantime reduced to bankruptcy because of finding little or no demand for any of their products. Banks stopped payment, and seemed unlikely ever again to reach resumption. States made default in payment of their interest, the national treasury meanwhile begging at home and abroad, and begging, too, in vain, for loans at almost any rate of interest.

The new mode of smelting by anthracite, first presented in '37, had, in '41, been adopted by only six furnaces, yielding 21,000 tons. The price was then but little over one-half that of '37, and the people more than twice as poor. The total production fell to 220,000 tons, probably less.

Thus a protective policy carried the product steadily advancing from 165,000 tons in 1830, to 347,000 tons in '39-40, when, feeling at last the sliding scale of ruin under the South Carolina compromise, it collapsed in two years more than one-third. The extreme figure of that collapse is carefully suppressed in the WELLES Report.

In 1841, with its industry thus paralyzed, the country found itself also without even the revenue which the friends of foreign importation had promised from the customs, and Congress was then compelled to abandon the compromise partially, by taking many articles from the free-list. But another year showed that the reversal of policy must be more thorough.

In August, 1842, the country came back squarely to a protective and *real* revenue policy. Confidence was revived, business was resumed, and a period of National prosperity returned. The iron-product increased, by the close of 1844, to 557,000 tons, and by the end of 1846 to 758,000 tons.

The tariff of 1846 fortunately met an extraordinary activity of the current demand for iron, so that its depressing influence was not at once felt. Indeed, the year 1848 ended with a total product of 848,000 tons—an increase of more than 300 per cent. in five years, population advancing only some 20 per cent.

Said the Commissioner: "Irrespective of its legislation, production has increased at the average rate of eight per cent. per annum." Is this true? In the summer of '48, the markets were crushed with British iron and the home-trade was paralyzed. Filling the public warehouses and borrowing money on the certificates, they soon crushed out American competition. With an import of over 350,000 tons in '49-50, prices sank to one-half those of '38, and two-thirds the rates of '41. To sell at $20 was ruinous; to stop was ruin; but ruin was unavoidable, and it came. In '49, our product went down to 650,000 tons; in '50 to less than 500,000 tons. The Commissioner stated truly that production increased from 347,000 in '40 to 564,775 in '50, but that was a good deal less than a partial truth: he kept the fact out of sight that, in the two years ending with '50, the product had declined very nearly one-half.

So much for the Commissioner's "facts" about the iron-trade, and for his impudent proposition that this leading material interest is independent, for its prosperity, of the national legislation. Flagrant as his suppressions of the truth are thus proved, the result, by the verdict of enlightened public men and of all intelligent citizens, will be the more grateful suppression of himself.

We shall recur to the subject, following Mr. CAREY's review of the period from 1850 to 1861.

A PRIVATE letter, written by Minister Hale to a Congressman, has found its way into print, and greatly irritates old Diplomatic Billy, of the State Deparment, for it charges that Perry, Secretary of Legation, is retained at Madrid, by the celebrated firm of Weed, Seward & Co., for speculative purposes. I should'nt wonder. This Perry is a snob of the Sandford sort. You remember he had a personal difficulty with Pierre Soule, when that fiery little diplomate told Mr. Perry that the lackey in him was spoiled by the scoundrel.—*Wash. Letter.*

THE bill of the Reconstruction Committee in relation to Mississippi will pass the House. The intention is that the constitution of that State, as it will be amended, shall be approved before the next Congress adjourns its spring session.

Novel Oil Refinery.

The Berkshire, Massachusetts, *Eagle*, publishes what purports to be a letter from Cincinnati, narrating a most astounding discovery. It seems that a man, according to the story, upset a kerosene lantern into his meal bin. Feeding the meal to his hogs, afterwards, he noticed that they ate the saturated fodder with avidity, which led him to try the experment of feeding one of his hogs with what kerosone oil the animal would eat, and with the most astonishing results. At the end of only five weeks the animal so fed could not stand, for fatness, and the hogs being all slaughtered, the one fed on kerosene with his grain, weighed six hundred and thirteen pounds, while those fed on corn averaged only three hundred and fifty pounds each. Naturally, the fattest animal was tried into lard, and now comes the most curious part of the story. When cool the lard did not congeal, but the addition of a certain amount of potash resolved the contents of the kettle into three distinct substances, the first a light, transparent oil, better than kerosene or sperm oil, the second a jelly-like substance which turned to soap, and left a small residum of insoluble muscle. The oil gives a better and brighter light than kerosene, and lasts seven times as long. How much kerosene was consumed in this experiment is not stated, neither is the pecuniary profit of the transaction.

WHO are to furnish the title papers? Heretofore it has been the custom that the purchaser of a property pays for the title papers and the stamps, and he had the privilege of selecting his own conveyancer. But a late decision of the Supreme Court has changed this. A case came up before it recently contesting this point by a purchaser who refused to pay, and the Court decided that he was right. The seller must, at his own expense, give a good and sufficient title.—*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

CUBA has not, as General Dulce recently announced, received the same rights as any other province of Spain. On the contrary, while in Spain every 25,000 inhabitants elect a deputy, in Cuba only one deputy is given to every 100,000 inhabitants. In Spain the suffrage is free; in Cuba it is conditional upon the payment of a tax. Thus Spain, instead of adopting reconciliatory measures, widens the breach which already exists between her and Cuba.

A SAN FRANCISCO paper says that the wife of a citizen has had a quarrel of several months' standing with her sister, when, the other day, she invited her to call. Sarah accepted, and found a child of the married sister lying ill, and its mother asked Sarah to take it awhile. She did so—fondled and kissed it. The mother then informed her, in a manner indicating great gratification, that the child had the small-pox.

A LATE letter from George Peabody, dated London, states that he is in very poor health, and that he intends leaving for one of the German Spas at an early day. He still takes the greatest interest in his American charities, and speaks encouragingly of the success of his wonderful benevolence for the benefit of the poor of London.

IT IS CERTAIN that the majority of the House sympathized with Gen. Butler on the Georgia question, although they voted against him, on the ground that an affirmative vote would cause a split in the Republican party, and seriously embarrass General Grant's administration.

GEN. GRANT told Alexander McClure, of Pennsylvania, who rode from Philadelphia to Washington with him, that he was very anxious that a good amendment guaranteeing manhood suffrage shall be agreed to at once, and sent to the State legislatures for ratification.

THE editor of the Gardiner *Home Journal* mourns over the child without a spinal column that died at Putnam, Ohio, last week. "What a pity it is," says he, "that the child died—it would have made such a splendid member of Congress."

A SUGAR beet company in Livingston county, Ill., consumes about forty-nine tons of beets every twenty-four hours, and expects to increase the consumption to sixty tons.

THE SEEDS OF SICKNESS.

Baron Munchausen tells a story of a postboy's horn, which had a number of wicked tunes blown into it one frosty night, but made no response. Nevertheless, when it was hung before a hot fire, the tunes, which had been frozen in, thawed out, to the amazement of all present. Just so the human system, subjected to the injurious influences during the Winter, sometimes give no token of the effect they have produced upon it, until the moist atmosphere of Spring developes their fruits. Many Spring diseases are the result of Winter improvidences, and great and especial care should be taken of the system in the cold season, so that it may be in a sound and vigorous condition when the malarious fogs of March and April make their appearance. To this end, strengthen the stomach and the general organization at this season with HOSTETTER'S BITTERS. Take this pleasant, vegetable antidote in advance of the uprising of the mephitic mists and vapors, which produce chills and fever, and other miasmatic diseases. Remember that it is a *preventive medicine*—as powerful to *protect* as to *restore*. The stomach is apt to be overtaxed at this time of the year. It is a period devoted to dinner and supper parties, and luxurious living generally. Feasting and late hours weaken the digestive organs and disorder the liver. The effect of the Bitters is to invigorate the one and regulate the other. There is no month in the twelve when a tonic and alterative is more generally needed than in this, and there is no preparation of that nature so thoroughly salubrious, so bracing, and so entirely free from undue exciting properties, as this celebrated vegetable cordial.

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JAMES B. FULTON,
JAMES McCALL,
WM. V. EVANS, } Executors.

TARENTUM, Pa., Feb. **16, 1869**. fe16:e64

AN ORDINANCE

To Authorize the Grading and Paving of Chartiers Street, between Fayette Street and Washington Avenue.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That the Committee on Streets be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive Proposals for the Grading and Paving of Chartiers street as aforesaid, and to contract therefor with the lowest and best bidder or bidders, at their discretion.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of defraying the cost and expenses of said improvements, there be, and is her by levied, a special tax, to be equally assessed upon the several lots bounding and abutting upon the said Chartiers street respectively in proportion to the feet front in them respectively comprised, and bounding and abutting as aforesaid.

SEC. 3. That as soon as the cost and expenses of said improvements shall be fully ascertained it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to assess and apportion the same among the several lots bounding and abutting upon the said Chartiers street respectively, according to the rule above indicated, and thereupon proceed to make demand and collect the same, according to the provisions of the act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act defining the manner of collecting the expenses of grading and paving of the streets and alleys of the City of Allegheny, and for other purposes," passed the **30**th of March, **1852**.

SEC. 4. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the Eleventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of Select Council.

Attest: JOSEPH R. OXLEY,
Clerk of Select Council.
ALFRED SLACK,
President of Common Council.
Attest: R. DILWORTH,
Clerk of Common Council. fe16:e62

AN ORDINANCE

To Authorize the Paving of Iten Street.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same*, That the Committee on Streets be and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive proposals for the Paving of Iten street, and to contract therefor with the lowest and best bidder or bidders, at their discretion.

SEC. 2. That for the purpose of defraying the cost and expenses of the said improvements, there be and is hereby levied a special tax, to be equally assessed upon the several lots bounding and abutting upon the said Iten street respectively, in proportion to the feet front in them respectively comprised, and bounding and abutting as aforesaid.

SEC. 3. That as soon as the cost and expenses of said improvements shall be fully ascertained, it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to assess and apportion among the several lots bounding and abutting upon said Iten street respectively, according to the rule above indicated, and thereupon proceed to make demand and collect the same, according to the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act defining the manner of collecting the expenses of grading and paving of the streets and alleys of the City of Allegheny, and for other purposes," passed the 30th day of March, **1852**.

SEC. 4. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with, or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the Eleventh day of February, A. D. **1869**.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of Select Council.

Attest: J. R. OXLEY,
Clerk of Select Council.
ALFRED SLACK,
President of Common Council.
Attest: R. DILWORTH,
Clerk of Common Council. fe12:e63

AN ORDINANCE

Relating to the Allegheny City Police Force.

SEC. 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same*, That on and after the 1st day of February, **1869**, the Police Force shall consist of one Chief of Police, one Captain of Night Force, four Day Police and thirty-five Watchmen.

SEC. 2. The officers and members of the force shall be paid the following rates:

Chief of Police, per year	$1,000 00
Captain of Night Watch	900 00
Day Policemen, per day	2 00
Night Police, per night	2 25

SEC. 3. That so much of any ordinance or part of any ordinance that may conflict with, or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this the **11th** day of February, A. D. **1868**.

JAMES McBRIER,
President of the Select Council.

Attest: J. R. OXLEY,
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fe13:e48 JARED M. BRUSH, Mayor.

OFFICE OF PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY,

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held on TUESDAY, the **16**th day of February, **1869**, at **10** o'clock A. M., at CONCERT HALL, No. **1,219** Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

The Annual Election for Directors will be held on MONDAY, the 1st day of March, **1869**, at the office of the Company, No. **238** South Third street.

fe2:d88 EDMUND SMITH, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R. Co. Pittsburgh, January **25, 1869.**

STOCKHOLDERS ANNUAL MEETING.—The regular annual meeting of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company will be held at the office of the company, No. **216** Pike street, on TUESDAY, **23**d day of February, **1869**, for the purpose of electing a Board of Managers for the coming year and the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

ja27:d69 JOHN BALLANTINE, Secretary.

OFFICE MONONGAHELA BRIDGE COMPANY, Pittsburgh, January **30, 1869.**

AN ELECTION FOR THIR- TEEN MANAGERS of the Company for erecting a bridge over the Monongahela river, opposite Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, will be held at the Toll House, on MONDAY, the 1st day of March next, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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Interest on investments		158,627 49
		$777,708 17

Losses and Expenditures During the Year.

Losses on **47** lives, amounting to	$158,300 00	
Expenses, salaries, advertisements, stamps, &c	20,575 07	
Rent and taxes, City State and National	4,251 26	
Commissions to agents, licenses, &c	55,085 93	
Premium returned, policies cancelled, &c	30,211 90	
		268,424 16
Surplus		504,284 01
Accumulated assets, December 31, 1867	2,001,645 97	
Deduct scrip received in payment of premiums and notes	100,550 00	
		1,901,095 97
Accumulated assets, Dec. 31, 1868		$2,405,379 98

Assets of the Company Liable for Losses.

Mortgages, ground rents, real estate, &c	$ 635,619 00
United States, State of Pennsylvania and City Loans	721,028 88
Pennsylvania Railroad, County, City and other Bonds	156,612
Bank, Railroad and Insurance Stocks	156,712
Premium Notes, secured by Policies	449,445
Scrip dividends purchased	136,593
Balances in hands of Agents	26,901 94
Loans, accrued interest, quarterly payments, &c	91,813 07
Cash in bank and on hand	62,922 02
	$2,422,079 98
Deduct losses not due	16,700 00
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Market value, January, 1869	2,521,758 95

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 15, 1868.

Gold is steady but dull at 135⅛ to 135¼ with considerable business. Nearly all the large purchaseas are for short account, and when these are covered a fresh attack will be made, and the premium, if possible, put so low that it will force cotton dealers to come forward with their stocks as fast as possible.

Government bonds took another jump to-day of about one per cent. and closed firm with an excited market; quotations are steadily advancing in Europe, and the still large outstanding short interesi in New York force parties now to buy. Speculation is carried on to an enormous extent in Europe on account of the greater facility offered there in the principal markets. Settlements are made for other securities semi-monthly, but for American bonds monthly, which gives the cliques there greater power, and there as well as in New York the market went higher than even the most sanguine speculator calculated, and therefore sold short. From this fact, and the mode of settlement in Europe, it is possible that the reaction will not set in until the first of March, when no doubt a heavy decline is inevitable, from the fact that few will have money enough to pay the margins, and bonds will be sacrificed.

Stocks are dull with little doing, but prices are well sustained. Express shares are firm with activity.

Quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz: Gold, 135⅛; Silver, 130; Eighty-one's, 115½; Five Twenties, 1862, 116; do 1864, 112½; do 1865, 113⅝; do 1865, Consols, 111¼; do 1867, 111⅜; do 1868, 111⅜; Ten Forties, 115⅜; New York Central, 63¾; Erie, ——; Reading; 93¾; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, 118¼; Ohio & Mississippi, 35⅝; Michigan Southern, 94⅛; Cleveland & Pittsburgh, 91¼; Chicago & Rock Island, 135⅝; Chicago & North Western, 85¾; Chicago & North Western Preferred, 91⅝; Adams Express Company, 66¾; Merchants Union Express, 18½; Pacific Mail, 114½; Western Union Telegraph Company; 37¼; Gregory, 2,40; Quartz Hill, 68; Corydon, 10; Smith & Parmele, 2,10.

—Closing quotations received by James T. Brady & Co.: Gold, 135¼; United States Sixes, 1881's, 115½; 5-20's, 1862, 116; 75-20's, 1864, 112½; 5-20's, 1865, 113⅞; 5-20's January and July, 1865, 111¼; do. 1867, 111⅝; do. 1868, 111⅝; Seven Thirties, par less ¼; Due Compounds, 119; Ten Forties, 109⅜; Union Pacific Railroad, par; Central, 103; Cv. Pacifics, 101⅛.

ALLEGHENY CATTLE MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 15, 1869.

CATTLE.

There was again a light supply of Cattle on sale to-day, only about 600 head, and while prices were fully sustained, the market was a very tame one, and was devoid of that life and bouyancy which usually prevails under the influence of short supply. There were no outsiders in attendance, and the butchers were the only purchasers, and for some reason, or other, they did not take hold very freely, and this being the case, the supply was fully up the demand. The Cattle on sale appeared to be pretty well divided between Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Pennsylvania, while so far as quality is concerned, there was, so far as we could see, but little difference, compared with last week. And while the number of Cattle on sale, was not as large as it was last week, the market was not apparently, as strong, though as already intimated, prices were fully sustained.

Greenwald & Kahm 55 head Illinois steers at 6,75 to 8¾; Jas Hanlin 7 head, Washington Co. steers and cows, at 4,62 to 7,25; Nicholas Carr 30 head mixed at 5 to 7,50; Holmes, Lafferty & Co. 70 head mixed stock, at 4,75 to 7,50; L. & J. Shamberg 42 head Chicago stock, at 7,10 to 7,75; Marks & Bro. 54 head, at 6 to 7,50; J. J. Foster wholesaled 43 head of heifers and steers, from Adams Co. Indiana, to Zeigler & Hartman, at 6,75, averaging 930; Hazlewood & Blackstock 54 head Western stock, at 6,50 to 8,50; L. Keefer 19 head Indiana steers, at 7 to 7,50; Isaac Zeigler 23 head Ohio steers and heifers, at 7 to 7,50; Peter Hartman sold 28 head Indiana stock, at 4,60 to 7,10; Jacob Needy 38 head Licking Co. Ohio stock, at 6,50 to 9; James McAllister 30 head, at 5,25 to 8; Haas & Kraus 30, at 6to 8; L. Rothchilds & Co. 30, at 7 to 8; E. Katz 20 head Tuscarawas Co. Ohio, scalawags, at 3,50 to 6; Stakely & Bro. 8 head at 4 to 6; Hedges a Tayler 74 head, at 6 to 7,75.

SHEEP.

There was an unsually small supply of Sheep on sale to-day, not over 500 head, and with a fair retail demand, but little difficulty was experienced in realizing full prices for all grades, and prime fat Sheep ruled higher. There does not seem to be the same disposition manifested in the country to force Sheep on the market, that there has been all winter, which is in consequence of shearing time being near at hand, and we do not look for very large arrivals until after clipping time is over.

Norman sold 100 head to Stakely & Bro. at $4 per head; P. M. Snyder sold 60 head of extra fat Sheep, from Holmes & Co., Ohio, averaging 140 lbs. to Peter Tesh, at 9 cts; Kerr retailed 80 head of Allegheny county Sheep, at 5 to 6 cts; C. H. Moulton reports retailing 84, at from $1,25 per head to 6 cts per pound.

HOGS.

Market dull, and prices a shade lower, but there will have to be a still further decline before butchers will buy very freely.

Kahn, Boyer & Greenwald report having retailed about 150, at 12 to 14; Emerick & Co. retailed 120, at 11 to 13¼; Holmes, Lafferty & Co. 26, at 12 to 13,25.

PITTSBURGH CATTLE MARKET.

PENN'A CENTRAL STOCK YARDS, MONDAY, Feb. 15, 1869.

CATTLE.

Not a large supply in the Yards, and no sales were made up to three P. M. to-day. Prices unchanged; about 600 head were sold since Wednesday noon, as will be seen by the following report of sales:

WEDNESDAY, February 10.—Holmes & Lafferty to W. Kelley 23 head, weighing 26,400, at $6,50; same to same 17, weighing 16,925, at 6,12½; Zeigler to Rex 22, weighing 21,275, at 6,25; Host & Co. to Aull & Myer 14, weighing 13,025, at 5,62; Aull & Myers to Aul & Co. 1 steer, weighing 890; S. Clark to W. Walker 15, weighing 18,975, at 8,50; same to same 1, weighing 1,225, at 7,00; B. K. Boyer to Hineman 2, weighing 2,400, at 5,50; same to same 1 steer, weighing 950, at 4,00; same to same 17, weighing 18,350, at 6.00; R. S. Keys to Frank 3 heifers, weighing 4,100, at 9,00; same to Marks 3 heifers weighing 2,825, at 5,50; same to same 20, weighing 20,950, at 6,25; J. C. Stewart to Cordollar 1 bull, weighing 1,325, at 5,50; W. Colter to Shamburg 6, weighing 9,600, 8,50.

THURSDAY, February 11.—A. Musser to J. Aull & Co. 18, weighing 18,900, at 6,65; Hazlewood & B. to S. Morses 36, weighing 40,025, at 7,25; Aull & M. to same 5, weighing 4,150; Sol Christ to P. Kline 10, weighing 15,675, at 8,25; same to same 2, weighing 2,175, at 6,00; same to same 2 steers, weighing 2,805, at 7,00; W. Colter to Moses 9, weighing 10,925. at 6,50; Bark to J. Enner 1 heifer, weighing 990, at 7,75; same to same 2, weighing 1,740, at 6,50; Thompson to Frank 4 heifers, 6,750, at 8,00; same to same 1, weighing 1,150, at 5,00; same to same 3, weighing 3,860 at 6,75; S. G. Burk to T. Lamb 15, weighing 22,125, at 8,15; T. Thompson to Nickey 19, weighing 20,100, at 5,90; A. Musser to T. Lamb 16, weighing 20,800, at 8,15; T. Morgan to Leiser 16, weighing 19,700, at 8,10; same to same 1 steer, weighing 1,925, at 7,50; Smith & Blue to W. Hines 6, weighing 6,525, 5,75; same to same 3, weighing 3,025, at 5,87; same to Geo Warner 3, weighing 2,550, at 6,25.

FRIDAY, February 12.—Holmes & Lafferty to P. Klements 31, weighing 66,025, at 7,50; Evert & E. to Hedges & F. 4, weighing 3,350, at 5,75; Smith & Blue to Martin & K. 17, weighing 21,000, at 8,12; J. Bryant to same 33, weighing 43,925 at 8,10; J. Shamburg to Wm. Turner Sr. 1 steer, weighing 930.

SATURDAY, February 13.—J. McAully to L Richart 1 steer, weighing 1,185; same to same 1 steer, weighing 985.

HOGS.

Prices have declined to $13,00 for the best pickle, there being very few in the market. Prices may be quoted at $9,50 @$10,00, the outside price that buyers are bound to pay. Sales about 2,120 head since Saturday morning last.

SHEEP.

All grades lower by ¼@¾c than on Wednesday last, with a good shipping in the market, and up to noon to-day no sales reported. Market very dull and prices nominal. Best in market would not command over 6c.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, February 15, 1869.

The market continues unsettled, and, consequently, irregular, with but comparatively little doing. It opened firmer this morning at an advance over the closing prices on Saturday, but again closed weak and lower this evening, and the advance was almost, if not entirely, lost. There is no life in the trade at present, the excitement and buoyancy which prevailed some weeks since having pretty well subsided, and the market seems to be freer from manipulation and speculation. The Allegheny river is again in fine navigable condition, eight feet in the channel at Oil City, and it is expected the arrivals of oil by river, within the next few days, will be large.

CRUDE.

The crude market opened a little stronger this forenoon, and spot oil was held pretty firmly at 17½; since then, owing to some cause or other, an easier feeling was manifested, and in the evening the same delivery was quoted at 17c. We can report two sales of 1,000 bbls each, to be delivered on first water, at 17½c. Next six monts, sellers option, was offered at 16½@16¾, without finding buyers.

REFINED

Market dull and prices, for most part, nominal. Early in the day there was a sale of 1,000 bbls for the last half of February at 38½c, and 1,000 bbls for last half of March at 38c. Later iin the day the market was reperted offish, and concessions would have been made in order to effect sales. Spot oil quoted at 37½c.

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Eclipse Winter Lubricating oil	40c
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H. Koehler & Co., 50 bbls tar to Libby & Clark, Philadelphia.

Total shipments Refined	919
" Tar	50

PHILADELPHIA, February 15.—Beef cattle dull but higher; sales of 1,600 head at 10½a11c for extra western steers; 12c for choice; 9a10c for fair to good; 6a8c for common, gross. Sheep in demand and full prices; sales of 6,000 head at 6½a8c, gross. Hogs $1 higher; sales of 3,000 head at 18a50 per cwt, net.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

CLIPPINGS.

SCIENTIFIC men in France and Germany think the recent convulsions of the earth indicate the ultimate formation of a new continent.

THERE is not in the present House of Lords a single descendant of one of the twenty-five barons appointed to enforce the observance of Magna Charta.

CLARA LOUISE KELLOGG, it seems, has not a high appreciation of Cleveland musical talent. While the audience in that city was tiring out in an excessive *encore*, the other evening, she exclaimed, in the dressing-room, "What shall I sing? guesss I'll give 'em 'Sweet Home;' they can't appreciate anything higher." She sang the same song in Cincinnati—perhaps for the same reason.

SHEEP.—The wholesale butchery of sheep last autumn, so general throughout the State of Ohio, is already beginning to manifest its legitimate result. Sheep, which three months ago could scarcely find sale at from fifty to seventy-five cents per head, are now in demand at prices varying from one and a half to three dollars, and without doubt prices will continue to advance with the opening of Spring.

THE PRESS OF THE UNITED STATES.—A recent statistical publication says that in the United States there are 542 daily papers, 4,425 weekly, and 277 monthly—total 5,244. The number of printing offices exceeds 6,000. In addition there are 56 tri-weekly papers, 64 semi-weekly, 46 semi-monthly publications, 297 monthly, 4 bi-monthly, and 24 quarterly, making the total number of all American publications 5,734. or of newspapers proper, a total of 5,353.

POPPIES.—It is reported that the cultivation of the poppy plant will be introduced into Louisiana. A French gentleman at Natchitoches, it is stated, has announced his intention of planting in the spring of 1869, several acres of poppies, and of manufacturing opium. It is asserted that an acre of poppies will make fifty pounds of opium, worth fifteen to twenty dollars a pound, at a cost of less than four dollars a pound for manufacturing, and that one man can cultivate three acres.

THE Italian Government, it is said, now proposes to adopt a new attitude with respect to Rome, and to ignore, as far as possible, the existence of both the city and the Pope, which governs it. The Vatican has wind of the intention, and is much annoyed in anticipation. All attempts to arrange friendly terms will henceforward be abandoned as utterly useless, on account of the dogged immobility of the Papal counselors. The Italian government will try to do without Rome in every way, and to await events.

OUT-DOOR RELIEF.—The number of patients in New York city who applied in 1868 to the Bureau of Out-door Sick, established in 1845 for the benefit of such persons as do not require constant medical attendance, amounted to 9,650 persons, to whom 36,468 prescriptions were furnished. In this Bureau the diseases are classified, and physicians assigned to each class. The more prominent diseases treated are those affecting the eye and ear, the chest, the digestive organs and the skin.

THE ALABAMA.—Mr. Graves, M. P. for Liverpool, said, in a speech in that city on Friday, that the treaty negotiated with the American Minister for the settlement of the *Alabama* claims was sure to be ratified by the United States Senate. He said the American claims were made with a dignity and maintained a forbearance that were fully appreciated by England. She had in consequence met the advances of the United States more than half way, and receded from principles which had been regarded as fundamental to the British Constitution.

THE eminent surgeon, Sir James Simpson, has lately called attention to the fact that the walls of hospitals—brick, stone and plaster—become in time so infiltrated with the emanations of disease as to be dangerous to patients; and he gives figures to show that with the best skill and care of the great hospitals, three times as many patients die of operations, as if they were attended at their homes, even where these would seem less salubrious. It is not a question of size or ventilation, for a new hospital is healthy; but in spite of all efforts at cleanliness, the building itself becomes diseased.

CORNELL UNIVERSITY.—The Trustees of this educational institution, now in session in Albany, report that the resources of the University amount to $76,744 per annum, and that the expenses for the professorships reach the sum of $38,000. The endowments amount to $105,000, and $171,000 will be required to place the institution in complete working order. The students number 368, and many more applied for admission. The library, it is reported, will receive large additions, and the British Government has promised to send out its official publications.

THE Mont Cenis tunnel is advancing rapidly. A few more months and the railway lines of France and Italy will unite beneath a mountain 5,300 feet high. It is slow work, as the tunnel has to be pierced through extremely hard greenish-gray sandstone mixed with quartz; 4,300 feet were hollowed out last year. The tunnel is to be 39,700 feet in length; 29,800 feet of the work are already complete; the remaining 9,900 feet will take about twenty-seven or twenty-eight months to accomplish; so that by March or April, 1871, this stupendous work will probably be done.

A TABLE has recently been published giving some interesting statistics of the New York theatres, which afford employment, as it appears, to 1,895 actors, actresses and other employees. This, however, does not represent the actual number of persons who earn their support by ministering to the public taste for amusement; as no account is taken of the various concerts and other musical entertainments which are given at irregular intervals in different halls, and the number of which averages three or four a week all through the winter. The same table gives the average daily attendance at the theatres as 23,360, and the average daily receipts at $14,638. These figures can only be regarded as approximations to the truth, and in some cases represent not the attendance at a particular theatre, but its seating capacity. Making allowance, however, for the concert-goers, who are not set down at all, the totals are probably very near the truth. Most of our theatres this winter are unusually prosperous.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Women's Rights and Wrongs.

Mrs. Francis D. Gage, in "Looking Back," gives personal reminiscences and tells how she became interested in the Woman's Rights movement, and of its progress. We quote a single incident from her very interesting article:

At twenty, I married. My husband was a lawyer. One day, years ago, a woman called at our home to see him. Her husband had been intoxicated, and had beaten her and turned her out of the house, and kept her children from her. She had married him while he was poor. Her father, dying, had bequeathed her a farm and house, horses, cattle, sheep and money. Into this house the husband moved. Into the comforts and use of the money he installed himself as master, and she soon found herself a pauper dependent on his bounty. He starved her, beat her children, and compelled excessive labor from her and them. She had come to my husband to learn what she should do.

"Leave him," said he.

"But he will not let me have my children."

"No, in law, they belong to him."

"The property is mine."

"In law, not one cent of it except enough for your necessary support."

"Well, if I could have my say about that—and my children."

"But you cannot. He can keep the children. You must have an arbitration of men to say what ought to be enough for your necessary support."

"Didn't my father give it all to *me*?"

"Certainly, but the law gives it to your husband."

"Can't I sue him for beating me?"

"Not in your own name."

"Suppose you sue him for me, could I then get damages?"

"Any damage that would accrue would go to other parties. If you will leave him, and the children with him," continued my husband, as she sat utterly silenced, "I will do all I can for you. But I warn you. He has money and you have none, and public opinion here allows a man to whip his wife out of the house and whip her in again, especially if he is drunk. Are you strong enough to leave your children and abide the issue?"

"My God, no! the youngest is a baby."

Then I cannot help you unless you sue for assault and battery, and have him bound over to keep the peace."

"If I should do that he would kill me."

"I suppose he would maltreat you."

Slowly the poor woman rose from her chair, and in a voice that went to our souls, said, simply, as she went out, "*I must* go to my children."

How many women are there even today, whose sad experiences are paralleled by the incident above given. Who can tell?

Novel Incendiarism. The Newburyport "Fire-Bug."

[From the Boston Advertiser, Feb. 4.]

By this entomological name the citizens of Newburyport are wont to speak of the incendiary who for the past two years or more has disturbed their peace and eluded all attempts to detect him. His activity during the present winter has been greater than ever, but the damage which he has occasioned has not thus far corresponded with the frequency and persistency of his attempts to do mischief. By timely discovery, many of the fires which he has set have been speedily extinguished, in just the nick of time to prevent disastrous conflagrations. But a fear prevails that the city will not always be so fortunate, and that if the "fire-bug" is not arrested in his villainy, ths city will ere long be visited by a calamity as disastrous as that which fell upon it in 1811.

The method employed by the incendiary is at once novel and ingenious. His kindling apparatus consists of a wooden box, about four inches square and fifteen inches long, with covered top and bottom, lined at the top and sides with tin, and having on one side, near the bottom, a hole for the fire to issue from. In this box a candle is placed, surrounded at the bottom with combustible materials, saturated with inflammable oil. When the candle has burned so low that these materials are ignited, the flame issues from the aperture in the box, and comes in contact with the wood-work of the building, which has previously been saturated with oil. Generally, the box is placed against the outside of the building intended to be destroyed, but when access is easily obtained, it is placed upon the inside. It is supposed that the incendiary comes forth with his box at about six o'clock in the evening, when the factory operatives are going to their homes and he can pass most easily without observation, and the time required for his infernal machine to take effect varies with the condition of the atmosphere, the direction of the wind or some other circumstance whose effect he cannot always closely calculate.

The first of these boxes secured by the city authorities was found on the night of December 15, 1867. Since that date, nearly a dozen of them, in various stages of combustion, have been placed in the office of Mr. Fritz, the City Marshal; and the number entirely consumed is probably as large as those discovered in season to be saved. These boxes are similar in shape, are made of the same kind of materials, and their skillful construction shows that they are the work of a practiced hand.

The acts and motives of the incendiary afford abundant food for speculation; and there are not a few wiseacres who are confident of their ability to solve the mystery by pointing out the culprit. Some assert that the mischief is caused by some member of the fire department; others declare that it is the work of some carpenter who desires to keep his line of business active; while others are equally confident that some member of the police force uses the advantages which his position offers to carry on the nefarious work. Stories are rife of mysterious persons seen in suspicious places, and of men found wandering at night in women's clothing. Planchette has been consulted, and has made revelations as conflicting as they are extraordinary. One appeal to the "spirits" elicited a reply that the fires are the work of young Clark, who was hanged at Salem in 1821, for arson committed in Newburyport. Self-appointed detectives have tried their skill in watching for the incendiary, and in some instances have found themselves under surveillance of the regular police; while many ludicrous incidents have arisen from the authorized and unauthorized efforts for his discovery. A person seen after dark with a bundle under his arm is at once an object of suspicion, and many innocent persons have been obliged to explain their movements. The city authorities and the police are compelled to submit to a great deal of sharp criticism for their failure to discover the criminal, and are even charged with neglect to take the proper steps to that end. As we are not writing for the benefit of the "fire-bug," we shall not state the means now employed for his detection; but we are able to say that such vigor and skill are enlisted for that purpose, that he will ere long be compelled to abandon his diabolical work, or find himself in the hands of the officers of the law.

Physiology of the Singer (Fair Sex).

At fifteen—She sings prettily and listens to advice. People say: "How gentle and modest she is!"

At sixteen—She begins to give herself airs. She knows she is handsome; she is amiable.

At seventeen—Admirers appear. People wish her many happy returns on her birthday; she still blushes at compliments.

At eighteen—She is a coquette. She calls upon the critics. She suffers from colds, and already complains that managers make her sing too much.

At nineteen—She misses rehearsals.

At twenty—She travels for a month.

At twenty-one—She is constantly talking about her guardian; she plots against the other members of the company, she causes herself to be applauded, and causes them to be hissed.

At twenty-two—She is at par.

At twenty-three—She becomes tender and melancholy.

At twenty-four—She talks about an embassador who intends to marry her.

At twenty-five—She gives dinner parties, but eats only a few crumbs herself, for she is beginning to get stout.

At twenty-six—She complains that managers do not make her sing quite enough.

At twenty-seven—She has an action.

At twenty-eight—She confesses quietly that the applause is falling off.

At twenty-nine—She jokes about being twenty-one next birthday.

At thirty—She calls in the fashionable beautifier.

At thirty-one—She falls in love with a mere boy.

At thirty-two—She is as amiable as possible with the manager she formerly despised so much.

At thirty-three—The papers grow very cool.

At thirty-four—They are silent.

At thirty-five—She goes into the provinces.

At forty-five—You come across her in the chorus of some obscure theatre.—*La Gaulois*

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There will be sold at Auction, THURSDAY, February 18, at 2 o'clock P. M., that valuable business property, Nos. 116 and 117 SOUTH CANAL STREET, corner of Walnut street, Fourth ward, Allegheny City. The lot is 50 feet front on South Canal street and 121 feet on Walnut street. The building is a substantial brick, formerly the Fourth Ward Public School, converted into three spacious warehouses, with dwelling, carriage house, stabling, and all appliances for conducting Produce, Grocery, Commission, Forwarding or similar business. Can be easily applied to manufacturing purposes. Being on the line of the Western Pennsylvania Railroad, and near to the Chestnut Street Station, adds to the value of the position for many purposes. A careful inspect on of the premises and surrounding advantages is respectfully solicited. A very lucrative investment may be made in this property. For terms and particulars, call on

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100 by 140 Feet.

The special attention of those in quest of first class property for private residence is invited to the sale on FRIDAY, February 19th, at 2 o'clock, of that magnificent lot of ground, fronting 100 feet on the north side of Lincoln avenue, directly opposite the new Orphan Asylum, and extending back a distance of 140 feet, acknowledged to be one of the finest vacant sites in Allegheny City. Lincoln avenue is the most fashionable street in the city; it is wide, well paved, and built up with the finest and costliest dwellings. Its character in these respects is permanently secured. The present lot is the only vacant one on the north side of the avenue. It has a southern front and faces the beautiful building and ornamental grounds of the Orphan's Home. Is within one square of the Western avenue cars. A careful consideration of the prospective advantages of owning such a lot on such a street is solicited. An equal opportunity can never again occur on Lincoln avenue.

TERMS OF SALE—Half cash; balance in three yearly payments.

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INSURANCE, SLEEPING CAR, NAVIGATION, AND EAGLE COTTON MILLS,

TUESDAY EVENING, February 16th, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold on Second Floor of Commercial Sales Rooms, 106 Smithfield street,
40 shares Eureka Insurance Co.;
10 shares Citizens' Insurance Co.;
40 Shares Monongahela Insurance Co.;
50 shares Eagle Cotton Mills;
25 shares Monongahela Navigation Co.;
50 shares Central Transportation (sleeping car stock,)
fe12 A. McILWAINE, Auctioneer.

BANK AND BRIDGE STOCKS, CITIZENS' RAILWAY BONDS, &c.

THE DAY EVENING, February 16th, at 7½ o'clock, will be added to former list of va uable stocks, on second floor of Commercial Sales Rooms, 106 Smithfield street,
10 shares Bank of Pittsburgh;
10 shares Coalmen's Trust Co.;
27 shares Birmingham and Pittsb'h Bridge;
1650 shares Tarr, Story & Berry Run Oil Co.;
$7,600 Citizens Passenger Railway first mortgage Bonds;
16 shares German Insurance Company;
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POT ASH.—4 casks No. 1 Pot Ash in store and for sale by
fe12 J. H. CANFIELD.

NOTICES.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, February 13, 1869.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed Proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of
CENTRE STREET, from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street;
LOCUST ALLEY, from Fountain street to Forty-first street;
ALMOND ALLEY, from Butler street to the Allegheny Valley Railroad.
FOSTER ALLEY, from Butler street to the Allegheny Valley Railroad;
Will be received at this office until SATURDAY, February 27, 1869.
Specifications and Blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received unless made out on the proper blanks. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
H. J. MOORE,
fe13 City Engineer.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the City of Allegheny for GRADING AND PAVING, are hereby notified to call and pay their assessments to the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of February. After the above date all claims remaining unpaid will be placed in the hands of the City Solicitor for collection, with costs added.

Office in the second story of City Hall. Hours for business from 8 to 9 A. M. and 1 to 2 P. M.
THOMAS MEGRAW,
Street Commissioner.
ALLEGHENY, Feb. 3, 1869. fe3:10d

TO BUILDERS.—"Separate
Proposals, addressed to the Commissioners for the Erection of City Hall," will be received at the office of the Commissioners, No. 66 SMITHFIELD STREET, until MONDAY, the 1st day of March next, for the

Stone Work, Brick Work, Iron Work and Carpenter Work,

Required in the erection of the new City Hall according to the plans and specifications of the same, which can be seen at the office of J. W. KERR, Architect, in Appolo Building, No. 80 Fourth Avenue, where all requisite information will be given.

fe8 THOMAS STEEL, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CARPENTERS.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, February 10, 1868.
SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this Office until 3 o'clock P. M. on THURSDAY, the 15th inst, for planking the yard of the

SECOND WARD CATTLE SCALES.

SPECIFICATIONS:

The entire yard to be covered with the best quality of Pine Grub Plank laid close on plank sleepers, three feet from center to center, solidly bedded in the ground and filled up level between, the planking to be well spiked down. The planking to run across the yard and to be headed on the sleepers.
R. B. FRANCIS, City Controller.
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OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, February 4th, 1869.

NOTICE OF
SEWER BUILDERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS for the construction of a public sewer on Fifth or Pennsylvania avenue, from Washington street to Dinwiddie street, about twenty seven hundred feet (2740), and also for a sewer on Diamond alley, from the Wood street sewer to Smithfield street, will be received at this office until SATURDAY, February 20, 1869. Specifications and blanks for bidding can be had by calling at this office. No bids will be received by the Committee unless made out on the regular blanks.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
fe4 e5 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, Feb. 6, 1869.

NOTICE.—The assessments
for the partial Grading of
DINWIDDIE STREET,
from Pennsylvania avenue to Centre avenue is now ready for examination, and will remain in this office until TUESDAY, Feb uary 16, 1869, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection. H. J. MOORE,
fe6:e17 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, February 4, 1869.

NOTICE TO FOUNDRYMEN.—Sealed Proposals for furnishing the City of Pittsburgh, with castings for the catchbasins required in the sewers now about being contracted for, will be received at this office until SATURDAY, Feb. 20, 1869
Specifications can be seen at this office. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids. H. J. MOORE,
fe4:e4 City Engineer.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, February 10, 1869.

FLOOD GATE.—SEALED
Proposals will be received at this office until 3 o'clock, P. M., on the 16th instant, for making and attaching a FLOOD GATE to the Robinson Street sewer. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the City Engineer, Chas. Davis, Esq., under whose supervision the work must be done. R. B. FRANCIS,
fe10:e31 City Controller.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, February 9th, 1869.

NOTICE.—The assessment
for the partial grading of Mahon street, from Kirkpatrick street to Soho street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until FRIDAY, February 19, 1869, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.
fe9:e24 H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

THE ECONOMY BUTTER CO.

ask the attention of all interested in the reduction of the extravagant cost of Butter, to their practical and economical system of making pure prime Butter by the aid of the

EXTRACT OF BUTTER PLANT.

A brief allusion to the origin of this important discovery may not prove uninteresting. Among the authenticated records of the renowned Captain Cook's voyage around the world, is found the statement, that while sojourning for a short time on the Brazilian Coast of South America, he observed the natives using, in the preparation of their food, a peculiar oil, which, upon examination, he found to possess the appearance, taste and flavor of Butter; upon further inquiry, however, he ascertained that it was simply a substance that the natives distilled in a crude and imperfect manner, from a rich and luxuriant plant that grew spontaneously and abundantly in that warm tropical country. A few years ago, an eminent French chemist, while on a professional visit to the tropics, made numerous experiments with this remarkable production of nature, and succeeded in extracting a concentrated essence of the plant. The formula for its preparation, and the Sole Right for its sale in this country are the exclusive property of this Company, by whom it was purchased from the original discoverer. We claim for this remarkable, yet simple and perfectly harmless preparation—

1st.—That by its use a net gain of from 50 to 200 per cent. is made in the manufacture of Butter.

2d.—That Butter, which from age or whatever cause, may be strong, rancid, streaked or coarse-grained, and comparatively useless for general use, by the aid of this Extract, is restored to its original freshness and sweetness, fine-grain, and even color.

3d.—By the use of this Extract, one pound of delicious, fresh Butter is actually made from one pint of milk.

4th.—That a pure and excellent table Butter can be made, at a cost of from 15 to 20 c nts per pound. The chief expense wherein being Butter, which is the essential *base.*

5th.—That Butter manufactured by the aid of this Extract is equal in every respect to the best Butter made by the ordinary method.

6th.—The Extract after thorough analysis, by able chemists, is pronounced perfectly free from any deleterious substance, the ingredients being purely of a vegetable nature.

8th.—In proof of he foregoing assertions, the factory of this company is making one ton of Butter per day, which meets with ready sale in the New York Market, and is consumed from the tables of the first Hotels, Restaurants and Private families in this city and elsewhere.

A sample package of the Extract (sufficient to make 50 lbs. of Butter) with full directions for use, will be sent to any address on receipt of $1.

CAUTION.—As articles of real merit are subject to spurious imitations, we would specially caution the public against counterfeits and worthless imitations, advertised as powders, compounds, &c., as the Extract of the Butter Plant is prepared and sold only by

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The exclusive right to produce this play in the city having been purchased by the management from Mr. Wallack.
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LEGAL.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued out of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, the undersigned, Administrator of ROBERT LAFFERTY, deceased, will expose at Public Sale, at the COURT HOUSE, in the City of Pittsburgh, on TUESDAY, the 23d day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, all the interest of Robert Lafferty, deceased, being undivided three-fourths of all those certain Lots having a front on the Butler Turnpike of 450 feet 7½ inches, and being Lots Nos. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19 in the plan of Edward Harding and S. F. Snyder, recorded in Plan Book Vol. 1, part 2, page 330, and situate in Shaler township, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, together with a Lot of Ground in said Township, and described in the same plan on the lower side of said Butler Turnpike, beginning at a point directly opposite the corner of Lots Nos. 10 and 11 in said plan; thence by the line of the old towing path of the Pennsylvania Canal, as marked in said plan, north 40 degrees East 450 minutes East 400 feet 4 inches, and extending back, preserving the same width to the Allegheny River at low water mark; on which is erected OIL WORKS, known as the Albion Refinery, together with all the Tankage, Buildings, Machinery, and five small Dwelling Houses erected thereon.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH, on confirmation of sale.

This property is sold subject to the debts of the late firm of LAFFERTY & WARING, amounting to $25,265 54 100. Also to a purchase money mortgage amounting to $3,338 22-100, with interest thereon.

JAMES D. KELLY,
fe9:e16-T ADMINISTRATOR.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.
WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss
At Pittsburgh, the 8th day of February, A. D. 1869.
To whom it may concern:
The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of JAMES FLOYD, of Allegheny City, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, within said District, who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District.
J. W. KIRKER,
Attorney-at-Law, 87 Fifth avenue.
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MISCELLANEOUS.

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Where may be found a full assortment of Parlor, Chamber and Kitchen Furniture. de25

WASTE OF HYDRANT WATER.

The undersigned deems it his duty to inform consumers of Hydrant Water in the city of Pittsburgh that extensive and highly important changes in the machinery at the Lower Water Works will require, for the present, careful use and strict prevention of the waste of water.

Railroad companies and other large consumers must use strict economy in use of water for all purposes, and the use of all street washers and fire plugs, except in case of fire, must be suspended until further notice.

JOSEPH FRENCH,
fe8 Superintendent Water Works.

NOTICE.—The Office of the PITTSBURGH WHITE LEAD AND COLOR WORKS has this day been REMOVED from No. 67 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburgh,
TO THE FACTORY,
No. 450 Rebecca Street, Allegheny.
Branch office at HARRI

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

The Nicolson Pavement on Fifth avenue was scraped yesterday. Quite a load of mud was removed from it.

Special Meeting.—The Allegheny Councils will hold a special meeting this evening in relation to the sewerage question.

The Indian Herb Doctor created quite a sensation in our streets on Saturday in in a fine chariot, with brass band, distributing bills.

Isaac Stewart, Esq., recently elected Alderman for the Fifth ward, Allegheny, has established an office on Beaver avenue, at the foot of Sheffield street.

The Printing and Street Committees of the Allegheny Councils held meetings last evening and transacted considerable business, which will be brought forward at the next regular meeting of the Councils.

Fined.—Jacob Caw was arrested yesterday by officer W. A. Hoke, for driving fast over a street crossing in violation of a city ordinance. The Mayor required him to pay a fine of three dollars and costs.

Died Suddenly.—Peter Dippart, aged fifty-five years, residing on First street, Third ward, Allegheny, was found dead in his bed yesterday morning. Coroner Clawson will hold an inquest on the body this morning.

Obstructing the Sidewalk.—Officer M'Mullen made information yesterday charging S. P. Shriver & Co., and Dilworth & Co., with obstructing the sidewalk. The parties were fined two dollars and costs each.

Sale of Real Estate.—The residence of Mr. John Hopkins, on Fremont street, Allegheny, was sold at auction yesterday by Mr. A. Leggate, for the sum of twenty thousand dollars. The buyer was Mr. H. Kleber.

Committed.—Peter Wild was committed to jail yesterday by Alderman Rentor, of Allegheny, on charges of fraud preferred against him by John Hildebrand and E. C. Luther. We could not learn the particulars.

Committed for Trial.—John Dougherty, charged with aggravated assault and battery, on oath of J. P. Tannehill, before Mayor Brush, was arrested yesterday and after a hearing was committed to jail in default of bail for his appearance at Court.

The Coal Weighing Question.—Several retail dealers of coal were brought before Alderman Humbert yesterday for violating a city ordinance in neglecting to have their coal weighed on the city scales, instead of those at their places of business. They each gave bail for a hearing to-day.

Removed.—Dr. Hewitt has removed his office from 36 Federal street, Allegheny, to the office occupied by the late Dr. Joseph A. Herron, 16 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh. All calls after eight o'clock, P. M. must, for the present, be made at his boarding house, No, 128 Washington street, near Fifth avenue.

An Undutiful Son.—Mrs. Mary Weigle made information for surety of the peace, before Alderman McMasters yesterday, against her son George Weigle, who, she alleges, threatened to kill her, because she refused to gratify some of his youthful whims. The parties reside in the Ninth ward, where George was arrested. He was held for a hearing to-day.

Missionary.—At the annual Missionary meeting, held at the Prospect Mission M. E. Sunday School, on Sunday afternoon, the collection amounted to two hundred dollars. Appropriate addresses were made by Dr. Morgan, of Christ Church, and Rev. W. H. Locke, Liberty Street M. E. Church, and the occasion was one of great interest to all in attendance.

Severely Injured.—Mr. Joseph Weidman, an employe at Straub's Brewery, at the foot of Troy Hill, Seventh ward, Allegheny, on Saturday afternoon, fell through a trap door in the second story of the building to the room below, receiving injuries which completely paralyzed him for a time of speech or motion. He was taken to his residence in the vicinity, where he lay, at last accounts, in a critical condition.

Furious Driving.—William Reitz, charged on oath of Andrew Graham with disorderly driving, was arrested and taken before the Mayor yesterday. He was discharged on payment of costs and promising to be more careful in the future.

James Marshall, charged with the same offense, on oath of Robert Irwin, was discharged upon the payment of a fine of two dollars and costs.

A Wife Whipper.—Catharine Robinson, a colored lady, residing at the corner of Webster avenue and Crawford street, made information yesterday before Alderman M'Masters against her husband, William, for assault and battery and surety of the peace. Catharine alleges that William has been in the habit lately of whipping her, and yesterday for some offence indulged in this habit in an unwarrantable manner, winding up by threatening to kill her if she ever again offended him in a like way. A warrant was issued.

Had no Husband.—Joseph Simon, proprietor of a grocery store on Wylie street, made information before Alderman McMasters yesterday against a woman named Manning, for false pretense. Mr. Simon alleges that the accused obtained goods at his store to the amount of twelve dollars and twenty-three cents by representing that her husband was employed at a Glass Works in Birmingham, and was earning nine dollars per day. Subsequent inquiries, it is said, revealed the fact that the supposed husband was a myth, and along with him, of course, the wages, hence the suit. A warrant was issued.

House Entered—Silverware Stolen.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Mary McGinniss called at the Allegheny Mayor's office and stated that her residence, on Chartiers street, Fifth ward, had been entered some time last week and a quantity of silverware stolen. The lady states that she was staying temporarily at the house of her mother, in Pittsburgh, during the absence of her husband, who was from home on business, and that upon going over to her own house on Friday last she discovered the fact of the robbery. The thief gained an entrance through one of the rear windows and forced open the cupboard door, in which the articles were locked. They consisted of a fruit and cake baskets, silver castor, fruit and butter knives, silver forks, &c., and were all marked with the owner's initials. Suspicion attached itself to a person who was well acquainted with the domestic arrangements of the family, and a warrant was accordingly issued by the Mayor, but a search of the suspected individual's premises revealed nothing to sustain the suspicion. No other clue could be obtained to the depredators, and it is quite likely they will escape.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

MONDAY, February 15.—Milliken vs. Chrssinger et al., reported yesterday, was resumed. Jury out.

In the case of Carpenter vs. Dohr, motion for new trial by defendants counsel and reasons filed.

Miller & Co. vs. J. C. Tilton, action on contract. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR TUESDAY.

No. 53. Dravo vs. McClaren.
No. 9. McVay vs. Wilson et al.
No. 49. Sawyer vs. Lewis, Dalzell & Co.
No. 70. Hohman vs McKnight et al.
No. 55. Fulton Sons vs. McClaren et al.
No. 74. Brown vs. Owners Steamboat "Arab."
No. 76. Dravo's Assignees vs Beatty.
No. 77. Aiken vs. Logan.

Common Pleas—Judge Sterrett.

MONDAY, February 15.—In the case of Matthew Campbell vs. Nicholas Downey, an appeal, the jury found for the defendant.

Thos. Shaw vs. John Howley; an appeal. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $48.25.

Saulsbury vs. M'Callum. Action to recover for work and labor done. The testimony and arguments were concluded, and the Court will charge the jury Thuesday morning.

TRIAL LIST FOR TUESDAY.

October List.

No. 2. Lewis vs. Rattigan.
Mo. 49. Babenstein vs. Behringer.
No. 99. O'Neil vs. Pittock, et al.

November List.

No. 3. Linn vs. Steel.
No. 6. Kraborke vs. Metz.
No. 7. Graham vs. M'Afee.
No. 8. Pitts. and Connellsville R. R. Co. vs. Carlin, et al.
No. 12. Fass vs. Schaum.
No. 13, Hass & Kraws vs. Pitts. Ft. W. and C. R. W. Co.
No. 15. Nat. Ref. and Restoring Co. vs. Holdeman.
No. 16. Atkinson vs. School Directors, Third Ward. Pitts.
No. 17. Taylor vs. Pitts., Ft. W. and C. R. W. Co.
No. 19. Henry vs. Agnew, et al.
No. 20. Grundloth vs. Agnew, et al.
No. 20. Pinckerton & Purvis vs. Gold.

New Map of Pittsburgh.

We are indebted to the well known and first class lithographing house of Krebs & Bros., of this city, for a new map of Pittsburgh, fresh from the press. It is one of the most complete and perfect specimens of map lithography ever published in this section and reflects the highest credit to the enterprising firm getting it out, as well as to the Surveyor, Mr. W. C. Coghlan.

On large scale, with wards plainly marked, streets carefully and faithfully located, prominent buildings and business houses designated, city lots numbered and measured, railroads traced, bridges and river channels marked, the map cannot fail to meet with large sale and universal satisfaction. It is just such a complete map of the city as has been demanded by late changes in the renaming of old streets and laying out of new ones, and citizens will no longer have occasion to complain of a want of such an index for refeference. The map is on a scale of two hundred and twenty feet to the inch, which, taking up such vast space, rendered the publication of a supplement neccssary, and competent surveyors are at work on that part, which will be furnished gratis to subscribers to the map just published. On the margin of the map are truthful engravings of familiar mills, glass houses and factories, which render it quite attractive. A copy is to be placed in every board of trade room in the country, the publishers having so agreed with certain advertisers. Persons desiring to procure copies should call at the lithographic establishment of the publishers.

Probable Murder at Connellsville.

From the *American Standard*, published at Uniontown, we learn that on Monday morning, the 8th inst., James McLaughlin, a citizen of Connellsville, was found at the foot of Water street in an insensible condition. He was removed to J. W. Foust's Hotel, and medical aid at once summoned. He died a few minutes after the arrival of the surgeon. A *post mortem* examination was made, when it was found that he had been struck on the side and back of the head with some hard weapon. The wounds were pronounced sufficient to destroy life. A jury was impannelled, and from the testimony it appears he was last seen in the evening near the place where he was found in the morning; two men were with him, and one was heard to say, "that is enough." The man who saw and heard this retraced his steps, but gave no alarm. The parties are not yet known. The crime was no doubt committed for the purpose of robbery, as it is supposed he had some fifty or sixty dollars in money, collected from Messrs. Cochran & Co. for mason work at their coke ovens. The deed appears to have been done between seven and eight o'clock on Sabbath evening.

Bigamy.

Michael Sharren, charged with bigamy on oath of Thomas Archibald, was arrested yesterday by officer Rivers, and after a hearing committed to jail in default of bail for his appearance at Court. It is alleged by the prosecutor that the accused, who was recently married to a Miss McElroy, at the Eastern Exchange Hotel, East Liberty, has a wife and child living in Philadelphia. As officer Rivers was conducting the prisoner to jail, when they arrived at the steps at the corner of Grant and Diamond streets, leading to the Court House yard, Sharren, the prisoner, struck his captor above the eye with his fist, and followed up the blow with several others in rapid succession, but failed to get Rivers off his feet. After some time the officer succeeded in bringing his mace or "billy" into play and dealt the fellow a blow on the head which felled him to the ground, inflicting a wound which will probably teach him a lesson that may be of benefit to him in the future. When he recovered and regained his feet he was perfectly subdued, and accompanied the officer to jail without further trouble.

Fire in Allegheny.

Sunday evening about nine o'clock, a fire broke out in a small building on Avery street, Fourth ward, Allegheny, used as a cooper shop by the Pearl Flour Mill. The building was of brick, one story in height, and contained a few tools and a small lot of staves, which were destroyed. Adjoining the shop there was another building filled with staves and coopers' material which, however, was saved through the energetic exertions of the firemen. The fire is supposed to have originated from a cigar thrown among the shavings on the floor by a number of boys who had congregated in the shop during the afternoon. The loss will be trifling, and is, we believe, fully covered by insurance. The building belonged to the heirs of Richard Gray, and was of little value.

The Late John Graham.

The friends of this gentleman will attend his obsequies this afternoon at half-past one o'clock, at No. 111 Liberty street

In the death of Mr. Graham the community loses one of its brightest examples of even tempered, urbane, upright and strictly moral citizens; a man of singular purity of life, easy of access, of genial manners, avoiding conspicuity; distinguished not for talents or actions, but for diligence and constancy of purpose, and for good, practical common sense; shining not so much in public life as in the practice of all the domestic virtues and graces; careful in making engagements, but faithful in fulfilling them. During the half century of his residence among us he never sought office, but, with exemplary fidelity and judgment, served the community in various capacities, as Councilman President and Director in his favorite old Bank of Pittsburgh, Trustee of the Western University, Vice President of the Western Penn'a Hospital, &c., &c., and was for many years an elder in the First U. P. Church. He was humane and charitable. An impulse of paternal solicitude led him to visit a sick son in Missouri. The journey was too severe a tax on his physical powers. The death of his son, with his weight of years, and infirmities, bore him down. The last duties of a stricken family and a bereaved community will this day be performed, and the remains of this much beloved and good man will be consigned to the dust from which he came, and he will be lamented by all who knew him.

Explanation.

In our report of Council proceedings of Saturday, we stated that Mr. Littell offered the same reasons in explanation of his vote against the approval of the proposed act relative to a city park as were presented by Mr. Kirk, which was an error, and places Mr. Littell in a position not assumed by him. The sentence should have read "also offered an explanation" instead of "offered the same explanation."

His explanation was in substance as follows: He was in favor of a city park, and believed it a matter that should be left to a vote of the citizens, but he opposed the amendment offered by Dr. Gallaher, because it trammeled Councils, and was wholly inoperative on the main question whether there should be a park or not. The amendment provides that no bonds shall be issued until the matter has been submitted to a vote of the people, and a majority of them shall cast the votes in favor of issuing bonds, but does not prohibit Councils from purchasing the land for a park and creating a loan or taxing the people for the payment of the purchase money, and for this reason he voted against the act.

Temperance Meeting.

A meeting of the friends of temperance, law and order, will be held this evening at 7½ o'clock, in Rev. John McMillan's church, Sandusky street, Allegheny City. It is proposed to petition the Legislature to give to the citizens of each election district the privilege of deciding whether any license to sell intoxicating liquors in said district shall be granted or not. This measure has been strongly recommended by Judge Mellon, and has also been fully endorsed by some of our city papers. The Rev. John B. Clark, D. D., and several other gentlemen, are prepared to speak on the question to-night. As this subject vitally affects the peace and comfort of every home in the county, it is expected that the attendance will be large, and all citizens are invited to take part in the discussion.

Rescued from Drowning.

Saturday afternoon, Johnny Simpson, a little boy about five years of age, whose parents reside at the corner of Grant and Water streets, while playing on a flat, in the Monongahela river, between Grant and Ross streets, fell into the water and would have drowned had it not been that Fred Dierst and Jimmy Hamill, who were at Hamill's headquarters, saw him fall in and ran to his assistance. The "headquarters" are situated on the bank some distance back from the river, and when they arrived at the spot where the boy fell in he had disappeared. In a moment, however, he came to the surface, and was taken out and carried to Jimmy's room, where the proper remedies were applied to resuscitate him. He was quite insensible when taken out of the water, but was restored to consciousness in a few moments.

A Water Famine.

Our Pittsburgh readers will remember the announcement we made some days since relative to the repairs and improvements in progress at the Water Works, which necessitated the running of but one engine for a short time. We have to announce this morning the breaking down of this remaining engine and the consequent stoppage of the water supply in the basin. It is therefore *absolutely necessary* for Pittsburghers, if they wish to have anything like a sufficiency of water to supply their wants, to be extremely careful in its use for a day or two, until the Water Works are in running order again. Superintendent French has a large force of workmen engaged and will probably have the damage repaired by this evening or to-morrow morning. In the meantime all citizens are cautioned against any waste.

At His Old Tricks.

Thomas Devine, one of the landsharks who in the capacity of hackmen prey upon the travelling public by charging exorbitant prices for conveying passengers and baggage, was arrested yesterday. It appears that Robert Nixon, a stranger in the city, desiring to go from the Allegheny Valley Railroad Depot to the Union Depot, employed Devine to convey himself and baggage there, Devine agreeing to do so for twenty-five cents. After taking him part of the way Devine demanded one dollar and refused to proceed further until he received it. Nixon paid the money and after reaching the Union Depot proceeded to the Mayor's office and made information, charging the hackman with extortion. Devine was arrested and held for a hearing.

Painful Accident.

A lad named Miller, employed at Shoenberger's mill, had his foot crushed on Saturday afternoon, by being caught between the bumpers of two freight cars on the Allegheny Valley Railroad. It seems he attempted to clamber between the cars attached to the train, which had been standing still, but which just at the time began to move, with the result as stated. He was removed from his perilous position to his residence, on Strawberry alley, where the wounded foot was dressed. It is thought that amputation will be necessary.

It is just a week since little Eddie Miller, the boy's brother, was shot.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The beautiful and highly interesting drama of "Rosedale, or the Rifle Ball," with Ettie Henderson in the role of Rosa Leigh, was presented at the Opera House last night to a tolerably large audience. Her rendition of the character was excellent. It is well adapted to her style and manner, and she plays it with more ease and freedom than anything she has attempted during her present engagement. Messrs. Doud, Norton, Hotto, Wright and Collings, in their respective *roles*, played admirably, as did also the ladies in their cast. The piece will be repeated to-night.

THE AMERICAN THEATRE.—An appreciative audience assembled at this place of amusement last evening to witness the wonderful feats of Gurr, the man-fish, who eats, smokes and drinks under water. The same performance will be gone through with this evening, and in addition the popular two-act drama of Black Eyed Susan, interspersed with performances by the entire company, each in his or her own specialty.

THE MUSEUM.—Burnell's Musem, on Fifth avenue, still continues to be the great family resort for amusement and instruction. Notwithstanding the large numbers who have already visited the place, the throng of attendants continues undiminished. A good entertainment will always be popular. Open day and evening.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—This establishment will open Wednesday night with a full circus company, under control of Dr. Thayer, the old veteran, and a first class equestrian entertainment will be given.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, February 15, 1869:

M. Taylor to Nancy G. Miller, February 1, 1869; lot on corner Vine and Reed streets, Eighth ward, Pittsburgh, 22 by 100 feet.....$4,000
C. Wehner to F. Wehner, February 2, 1869; lot on Jane street, East Birmingham, 24 by 60 ft.$1
J. C. Lange to H. Beckfeld, February 8, 1869; undivided half of a lot on Chestnut street, Allegheny, 23 by 52 feet.....$900
J. H. Beckfeld to J. C. Lange, February 8, 1869; undivided half of a lot on Chestnut and North Canal street, Fourth ward, Allegheny, 20 by 52 feet.....$1,350
Wm. Schmoize to John Foeil, February 11, 1869; lot No. 12 in Brown's plan, Lower St. Clair township, on Carson street, 20 by 122 feet.$1,300
R. Dusch to Joseph Dusch, November 2, 1868; lot on Sarah street, East Birmingham, 20 by 120 feet.....$1
Wm. Wallwick to John Glasby, April 19, 1868; lot No. 88 in Oliver's plan, Braddock's Field, on Penn street, 20 by 110 feet.....$162
Louis Welker to Rev. P. S. Davies, July 23, 1868; lot on Grant avenue, Lower St. Clair township.....$1,125
John Glasby to Patrick Lamb, December 24, 1868; lot No. 88, in Oliver's plan, Braddock's Field.....$130
Alex. Hilands to J. M. Gazzam, January 21, 1869; lot on the corner of Third avenue and Ferry street, First ward, Pittsburgh, 19 by 97 feet.....$3,600
Geo. F. Dihm to A. Ernst, August 8, 1868; lot on Division street, Allegheny, 24 by 131 feet...$480

MORTGAGES.

Same day ten mortgages were filed of record.

A Popular Butcher Stand.

Mr. Charles Welte has purchased the eligible Stall No. 80, in the Pittsburgh Market House, hitherto occupied by Mr. James Hoag, who for years has supplied very many of our best families with beef, mutton, &c., always of choice, and only choice quality. Mr. Welte is an experienced butcher, and succeeds Mr. Hoag with a determination to maintain the high character of Stall No. 80, and will at all times be well prepared to serve the old and many new customers with the very best quality of beef, mutton, veal, &c. He intends to *deserve* the confidence of those families who are particular in wanting only the best qualities, and whose custom will be forfeited if any thing but the best is allowed to come to their tables, so that whether a member of the family, or a servant, comes to the stall, the meat supplied shall be up to the demands of an epicurian taste. Give Mr. Welte a call—he will not disappoint you.

A Brush Between Brushmakers.

Leonard Goose and Henry M. Glube are, or rather were, partners in the manufacture of brushes, having a place of business on Fourth avenue, near Market street. A few days ago, Goose alleges, Glube wished to dissolve the partnership, and accordingly seized upon the effects of the firm and locked the door against the other partner, thus *effectually* accomplishing his object. Goose, however, objected to this method of settling the business and sought a remedy by making information before Alderman McMasters, yesterday, against Glupe for larceny as bailee, setting forth the above circumstances. A warrant was issued.

Speedy Justice.

Officer Bell, of Alderman Taylor's police, yesterday arrested a citizen of Indiana, Pennsylvania, charged with larceny as bailee by Thomas B. Speedy, also a resident of Indiana. The information was made on Saturday evening and the accused promptly arrested yesterday morning. The offense consisted in the detention of sixty dollars, which the prosecutor alleges he had entrusted the defendant with for a special purpose. The case was finally compromised, the defendant explaining his actions and delivering up the money, together with an amount sufficient to pay the costs of prosecution.

Came to Grief.

John Hancock, a hackman, was arrested yesterday for violating an ordinance relative to fast driving, and taken before Mayor Brush, and was discharged on payment of a fine of three dollars and costs. It appears that he drove his hack over Rudolph Johnson, a colored man, employed at the Union Depot, seriously injuring him and in consequence thereof an information was made, charging him with assault and battery. He was arrested and committed to jail in default of bail for his appearance at court.

A Pleasant Home.—Any of our readers who desire to purchase, on easy terms, a cheerful and elegant residence for a home, are referred to the advertisement of the dwelling No. 203 Western avenue, in our "For Sale" column. The site is one of the most beautiful and eligibly located in either city, and the house, fitted up in first class style, contains all the modern improvements, and is in perfect order, having been recently built and being occupied but a short time. To any person desiring such a home, we know of no better offer in the market.

"An Acknowledged Institution."—"*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" are among the acknowledged institutions of the land. What would our ministers, our lecturers, our lawyers, do without these invaluable Troches? To what an amount of "ahems" and coughs and throat clearings would we be all subjected, were it not for those all-powerful and soothing lozenges? We have tried them and they did us good."—NEW YORK WAVERLY.

Lincoln Avenue, Allegheny.—This is the finest avenue in Allegheny. A lot 100 by 140 feet on the north side is to be sold on Friday next. See advertisement by A. Leggate, Auctioneer.

What They Will Do.

Dr. Ross' Remedies are purely vegetable preparations, and are doing more good to the people than any other medicines ever offered to the public. They are sold at one dollar per bottle, and generally one or two bottles have the desired effect. We make a specialty of the following diseases, and warrant a cure in every case: Acute or Chronic Rheumatism, Catarrh, we have cured hundreds of cases, some of long standing; Dyspepsia, we believe we have the best remedy for this disease ever compounded. For diseases of the Throat and Lungs our Tar Compound is doing wonders. Dr. Ross' Remedies are manufactured and for sale wholesale and retail, at Nos. 26 and 28 Sixth street, (late St. Clair.) mwf

There is no mistake about it, PLANTATION BITTERS will ward off Fever and Ague and all kindred diseases, if used in time. No family need suffer from this distressing complaint if they will keep PLANTATION BITTERS in the house, and use it according to directions. The most important ingredient of this medicine is Calisaya or Peruvian Bark, which is known to be the finest and purest tonic in the vegetable kingdom. The extract of this Bark is the active principle of all the good Fever and Ague Medicines prescribed by intelligent doctors. Calisaya Bark is used extensively in the manufacture of PLANTATION BITTERS, as well as quinine, and we dare say they owe their popularity mostly to that fact. We can recommend them.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price. TH.S.T.F.

Bates & Bell—Invite your attention to their assortment of Plain Dress Goods, American Silks, Mourning Goods, Flannels, Ladies' Underwear, Chemises, Drawers, Night Dresses, Corset Covers and Dressing Sacques.

BATES & BELL.

Miracles, Miracles, performed by the Indian Herb Doctor. He is creating quite a sensation in our city in curing rheumatism, deafness and consumption with his Indian Herb Medicine, the "Balm of Life." We understand that the Doctor can be consulted at any time at his office in Birmingham, on Carson street, a few doors above Harmony. We advise every one to get a bottle of his Balm of Life and try it.

$15,000, $15,000.—Immense success of the great closing out sale at Dennison & Heckert's old stand, 27 Fifth avenue. Since Macrum & Carlisle opened up this stock to the public, there has been a perfect rush for the extraordinary bargains.

Attractions.—We offer at reasonable prices a most attractive stock of Housekeeping Goods, Linens of every make, Linen Shirt Fronts, Handkerchiefs, Quilts, Crib and Cradle Spreads, Tea Cloths, Furniture Coverings. Our assortment is fresh from celebrated makers. BATES & BELL.

Cree Brothers, 26 Fifth Avenue.—This firm, having made arrangements to retire from business, will offer all their stock without reserve for cash regardless of cost. A rare chance for bargains.

A Lot Worth Buying.—That lot 100 by 140 feet, on Lincoln Avenue, Allegheny, opposite the Orphan Asylum. See advertisement by A. Leggate, Auctioneer.

Imported—A new stock of Broche Shawls in black, scarlet and white centres. Breakfast Shawls, bright colors, fresh, good and attractive prices.

BATES & BELL
21 Fifth avenue.

The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Ecker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street.

Burnett's Standard Toilet Preparations once obtained, will speak for themselves. —*Charleston, S. C., Mercury,*

Complete.—We have new French Corsets of all sizes, Bradley's Hoop Skirts, (new styles) Nottingham Curtains and Net Gilt Cornice and Vestibule Lace.

BATES & BELL.
21 Fifth street.

Constitution Water is a certain cure for Diabetes and all diseases of the Kidneys. For sale by all Druggists.

TTHS:T.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—The gas fixture factory in Newark, N. J., was burned Sunday night.

—The total number of hogs slaughtered and packed in Chicago this season is 597,954.

—At Norfolk, Va., on Saturday night an unsuccessful attempt was made to rob the First National Bank.

—It is officially stated that the insurgent chiefs of Crete have submitted to the Turks, and the island is tranquil.

—Jas. Marks, a noted cattle drover, was drowned in a swollen creek near Mt. Carroll, Carroll county, Ill., on Saturday night.

—At Ottowa, Canada, on Sunday, the most violent snow storm of the season set in. More than a foot of snow had fallen and the storm continued yesterday. No mails by railroad left.

—At Scranton, Pa., on Monday morning, the First Methodist Church and parsonage and another dwelling house, were burned to the ground. Loss $12,000; insurance small.

—Pionbit, Pelton & Co's. melodeon and cabinet organ factory, at Bloomfield, N. J., was destroyed by fire on Saturday. Loss $50,000; insured for $29,500. Eighty mechanics were thrown out of employment.

—At Montreal, Canada, a heavy snow storm began Sunday night and continued yesterday. All the railroads are again blocked up. It is stated the late snow storm entailed an extra expense to the Grand Trunk Railroad of $100,000.

—A letter from Mexico city states that fears were entertained among the commercial community that the government would be compelled to resort to a forced loan, as three million dollars in specie were just about to leave the country. It was believed that one half of it was being exported to avoid that contingency.

—A Havana letter says: From some of the cipher telegrams recently passing between Captain General Lersundi and General Mena, commanding at Puerto Principe, it was learned that the Captain General was not under much apprehension from the fillibustering expeditions from New York, as he was informed that the United States Government was all right with Spain.

—The crowded state of the Insane Asylum at Blackwell's Island, New York, has recently obliged the placing of two inmates in one cell. On Friday night last an insane woman arose, seized a heavy oaken tub or bucket, dashed in the skull of another woman sleeping in the same cell, and then scooped out the brains of the murdered woman with her hands, throwing them around the room. The authorities endeavored to keep the horrible affair quiet.

—The speech of General Grant to the Committee on the occasion of his formal notification of election to the Presidency is generally commended. The New York *World* says the speech is no ordinary exhibition of character, and that the man who thus quietly holds politicians at bay evinces a resolute self-reliance, which is one of the most respectable qualities that can be possessed by a man clothed with great responsibilities. It considers the burden of his speech as a virtual demand for the repeal of the Tenure-of-Office act. The *Tribune* says his ideas relative to Cabinet appointments are frank, straightforward and business like, and commends his reference to economy and payment of the public debt.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW ORLEANS, February 15.—Cotton factors and buyers wide apart; middlings nominal at 28c; sales, 900 bales; receipts, 4,456 bales; exports, 4,502 bales. Gold, 135⅝; Sterling, 147; Commercial, 146a146¼; New York sight at par. Flour dull, sales of superfine at $6,37; double extra, $7,15; treble extra, $7,56. Corn—prime scarce and higher at 78c. Oats firm at 70c. Bran dull at $1,15. Hay steady; sales of prime at $27,00a$28,00. Pork dull at $34,50. Bacon—jobbing shoulders at 15¼c; clear rib, 18½c; clear sides, 19c. Lard dull; tierce, 20a20¼c; keg, 22¼c; prime, 15c; yellow clarified, 16c. Molasses active and higher; sales of prime at 75a76c. Whiskey dull at $1,00a$1,07. High wines. $1,00. Coffee quiet and firm; sales of fair at 15a16c; prime, 17a18c.

CHICAGO, February 15.—*Evening.*—After the close of 'change the grain markets were quiet; No. 2 spring Wheat closing steady at $1,16½. New Corn, 59½c, cash, and seller, month; 60c seller, March. Provisions are quiet but holders are firm; sales were confined to 500 tierces of Lard at 19½c, cash; this is an advance of ¼c or ⅛c since 'change.

ALBANY, February 15—*Cattle Market.* The supply of beeves is comparatively light, and the quality of most of the droves is better than usual, but the demand is quite moderate. Holders ask ¼a½c higher; sales of about 400 head at 6a10c, the outside price for choice extra. Sheep are held firmly at last week's prices; receipts light.

BUFFALO, February 15.—Flour dull. Wheat nominal. Corn dull and steady; sales 12 cars new at 77a78c on the track. Oats dull: sales 2 cars at 95c in store. Rye nominal at $1,36. Barley firm. Seeds firm. Mess Pork dull at $33. Lard dull at 21½c. Highwines dull; sales 50 bbls at 94c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—Flour at $4,75a5,75. Wheat $1,78. Legal tenders 74¾.

DIED:

GRAHAM—At the late residence of his son, near Shelbyville, Missouri, on Thursday, 11th inst., JOHN GRAHAM, Esq., in the 76th year of his age.

The friends of the deceased are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, No. 111 Liberty street, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1:30 P.M.

LITTLE—On Sunday, 14th inst., at his residence, No. 44 Crawford street, Lieut. JOHN LITTLE, of the 46th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, aged 37 years.

Funeral from his late residence, TUESDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are cordially invited to attend.

UNDERTAKERS.

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